

Figure 1: Categories of Defects in Sewer Pipes



Figure 2: Root Intrusion

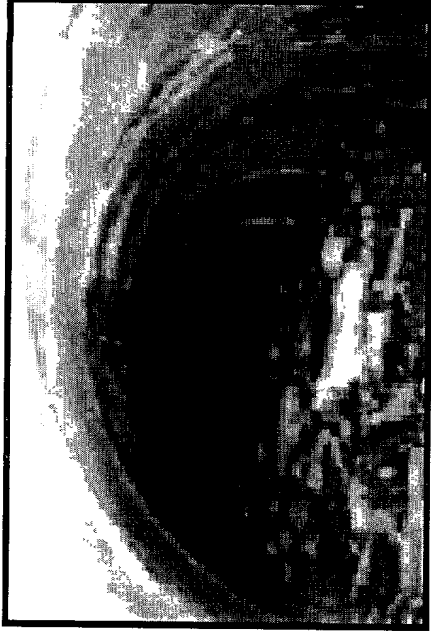


Figure 3: Dirt Deposits



Figure 5: Cracks

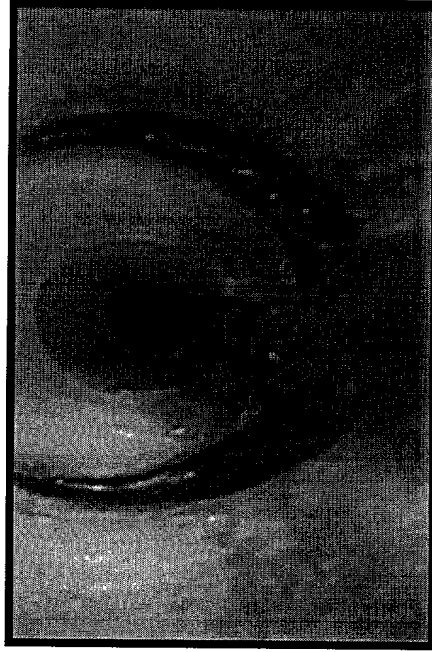


Figure 4: Infiltration

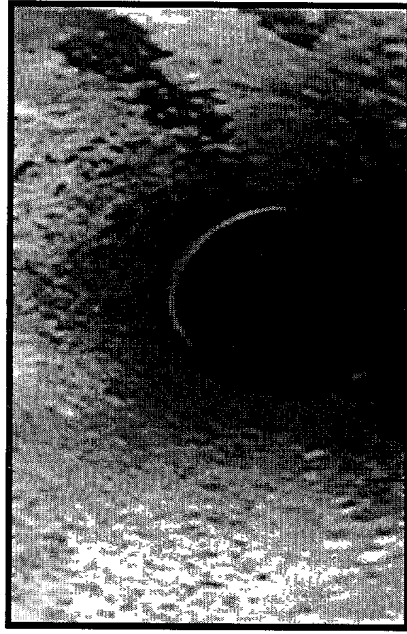


Figure 6: Misalignments

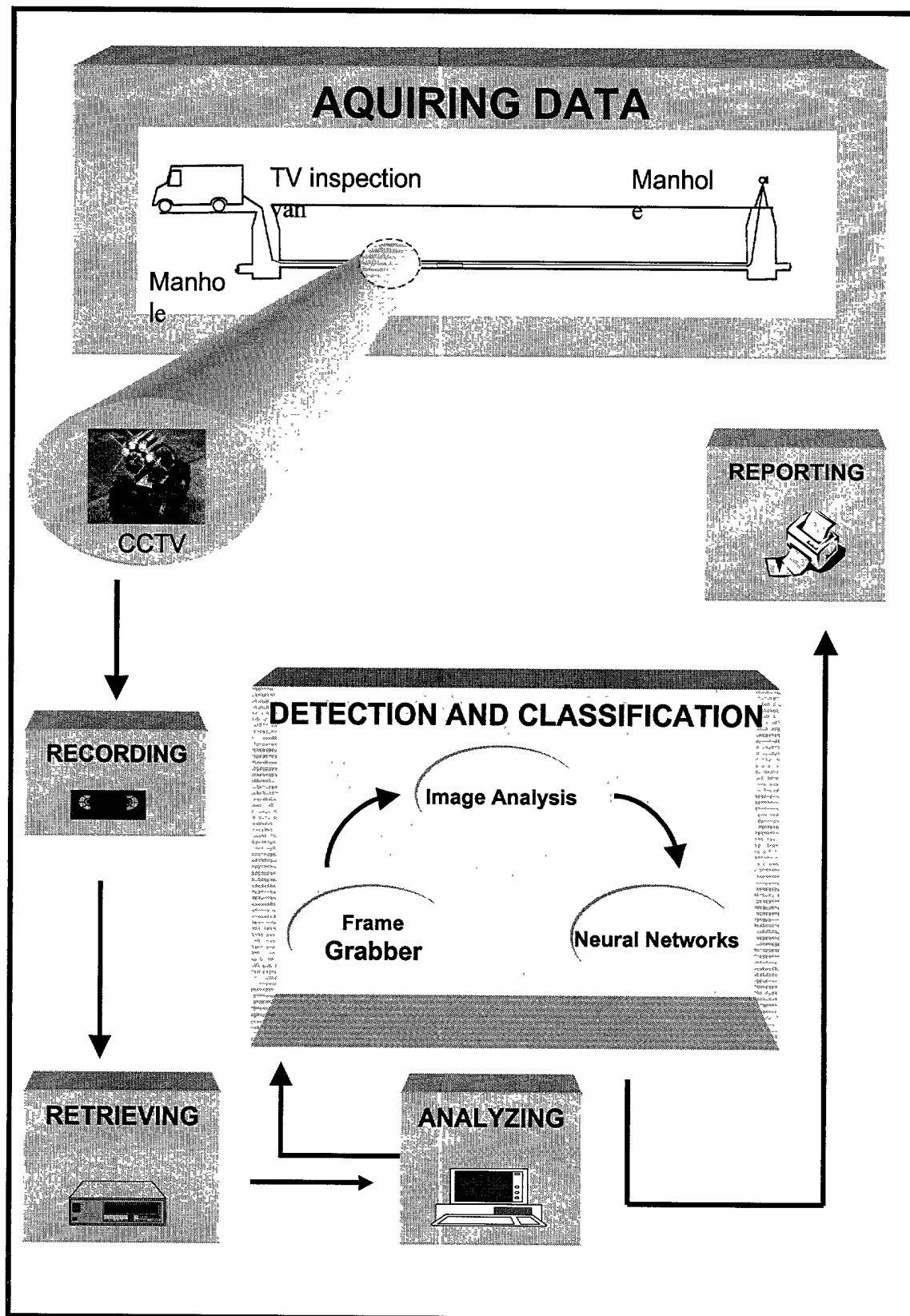


Figure 7: Proposed Automated Detection and Classification System

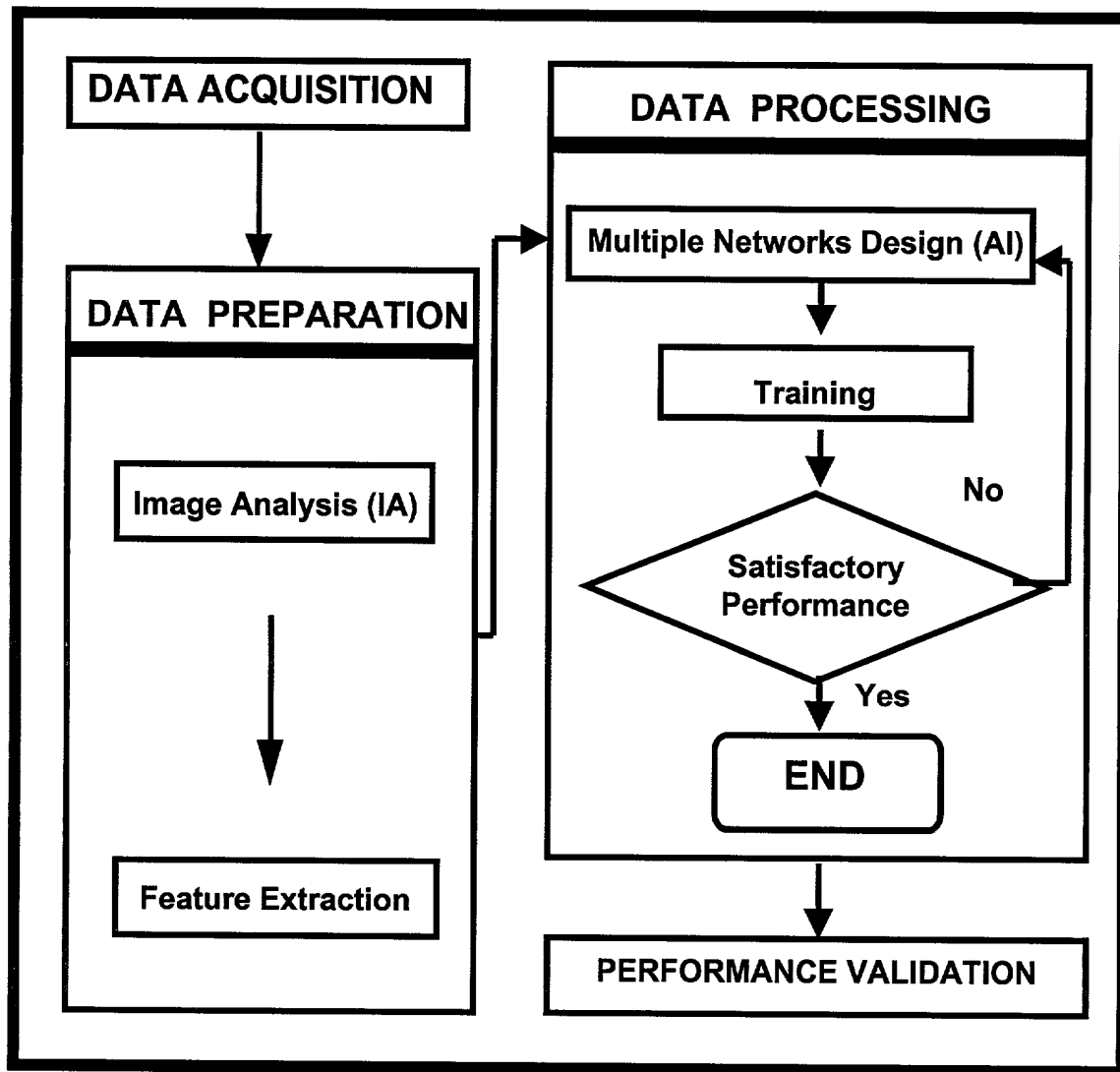


Figure 8: Methodology for Developing Automated Detection System

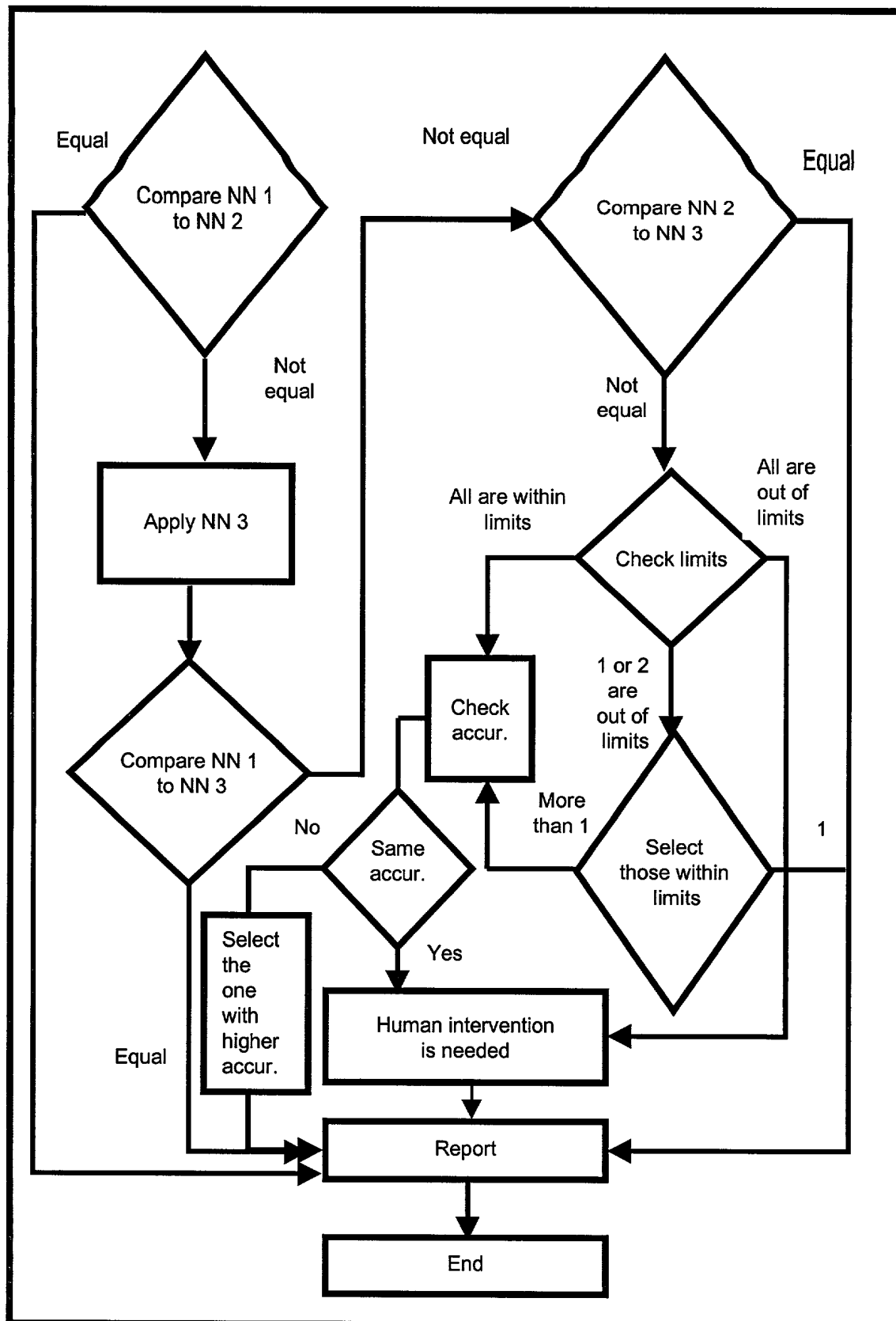


Figure 9: Algorithm of the Multiple Classifier System

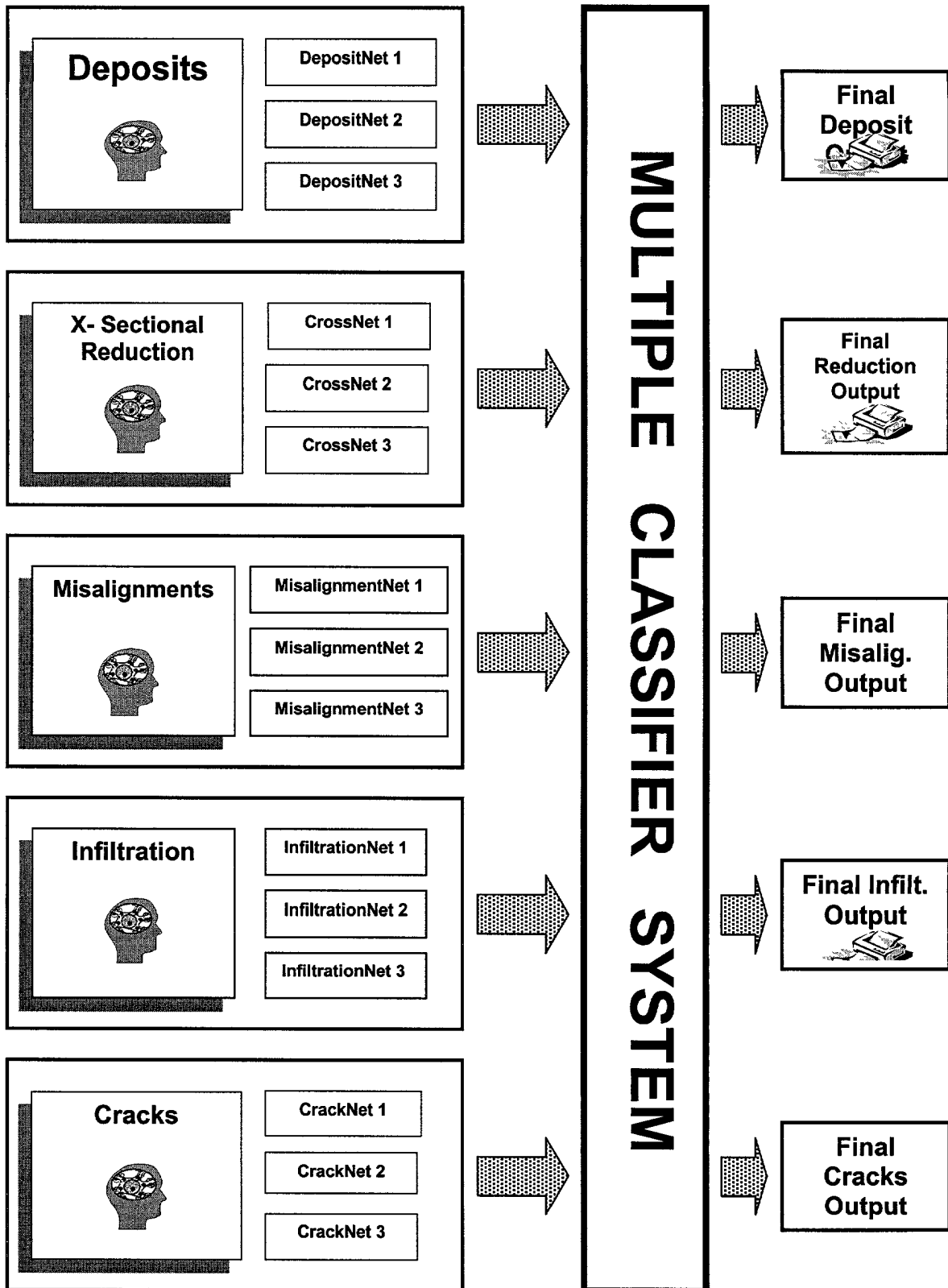


Figure 3-10: Utilization of the Multiple Classifier System

Figure 3-11: Solution Strategy

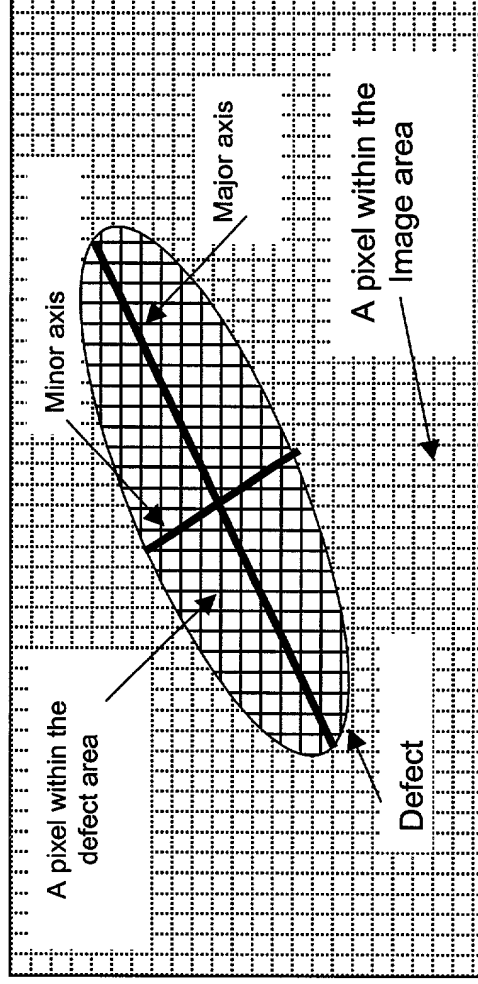


Figure 12: Geometrical Attributes of Defects

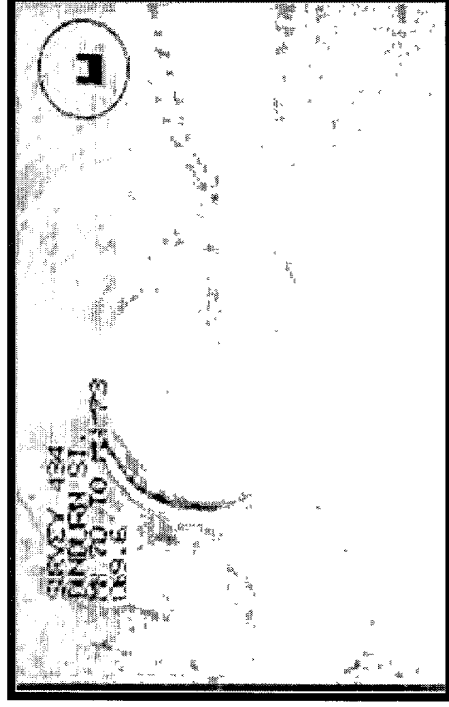


Figure 13: Background Subtracted Image of Cracks



Figure 15: Dilated Image of Cracks

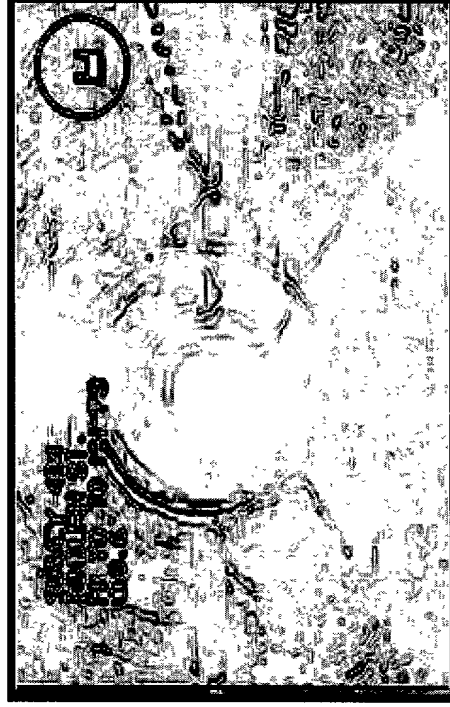


Figure 14: Edge Detected Image of Cracks



Figure 16: Thresholded Image of Cracks



Figure 17: Segmented Image of Cracks

| Results | | | | | | | | | |
|---------|----------|--------|-------|--------|--------|---------|--------|--|--|
| | Area | Mean | S.D. | X | Y | Length | Major | | |
| 1. | 10298.00 | 190.81 | 66.39 | 53.65 | 71.71 | 1524.50 | 159.94 | | |
| 2. | 243.00 | 128.24 | 43.82 | 219.07 | 7.41 | 104.81 | 28.39 | | |
| 3. | 136.00 | 111.10 | 21.24 | 244.56 | 4.30 | 65.70 | 17.86 | | |
| 4. | 2159.00 | 188.20 | 70.57 | 282.51 | 35.62 | 368.13 | 61.65 | | |
| 5. | 292.00 | 131.72 | 32.81 | 202.45 | 17.68 | 89.01 | 31.38 | | |
| 6. | 192.00 | 109.64 | 23.06 | 202.17 | 51.82 | 118.71 | 24.13 | | |
| 7. | 241.00 | 130.94 | 42.37 | 178.54 | 59.96 | 101.64 | 23.34 | | |
| 8. | 1345.00 | 168.22 | 65.38 | 259.09 | 87.75 | 399.50 | 95.43 | | |
| 9. | 185.00 | 140.76 | 49.97 | 205.39 | 84.36 | 68.87 | 17.46 | | |
| 10. | 356.00 | 143.16 | 44.28 | 176.45 | 103.95 | 96.43 | 29.89 | | |
| 11. | 177.00 | 137.53 | 39.02 | 201.72 | 105.62 | 56.63 | 18.03 | | |
| 12. | 591.00 | 142.98 | 50.42 | 37.24 | 123.74 | 175.10 | 51.35 | | |
| 13. | 4009.00 | 145.72 | 47.18 | 281.45 | 174.64 | 761.11 | 88.82 | | |
| 14. | 251.00 | 136.23 | 42.46 | 186.72 | 144.71 | 90.08 | 30.47 | | |
| 15. | 136.00 | 119.99 | 31.48 | 88.65 | 158.98 | 59.84 | 22.41 | | |

Figure 18: Analysis Results of an Image Depicting Cracks

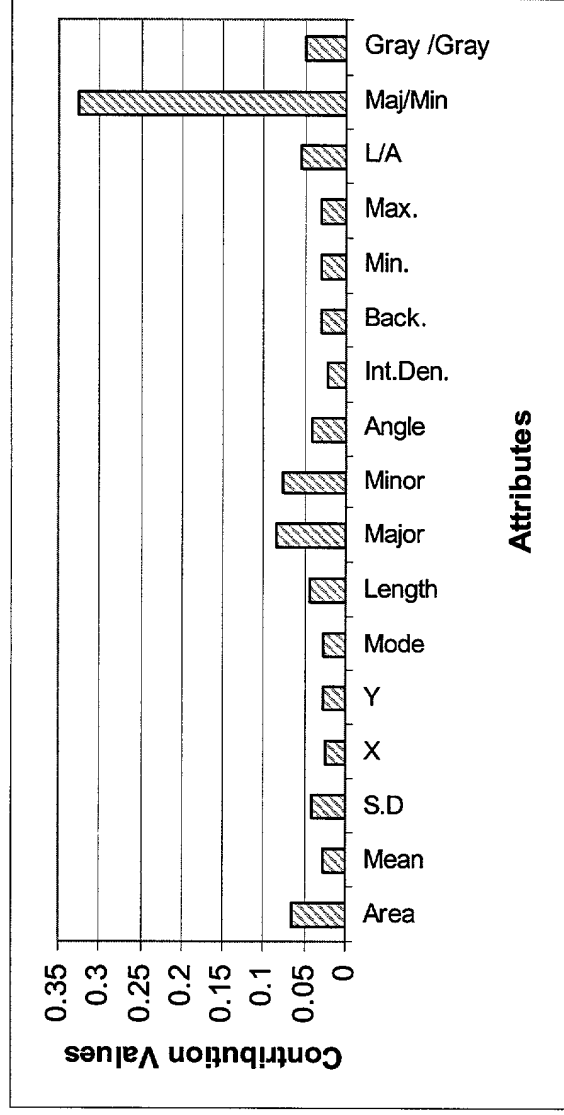


Figure 19: Contribution Values of Attributes Utilized in Designing the Preliminary Neural Network for Classification of Cracks

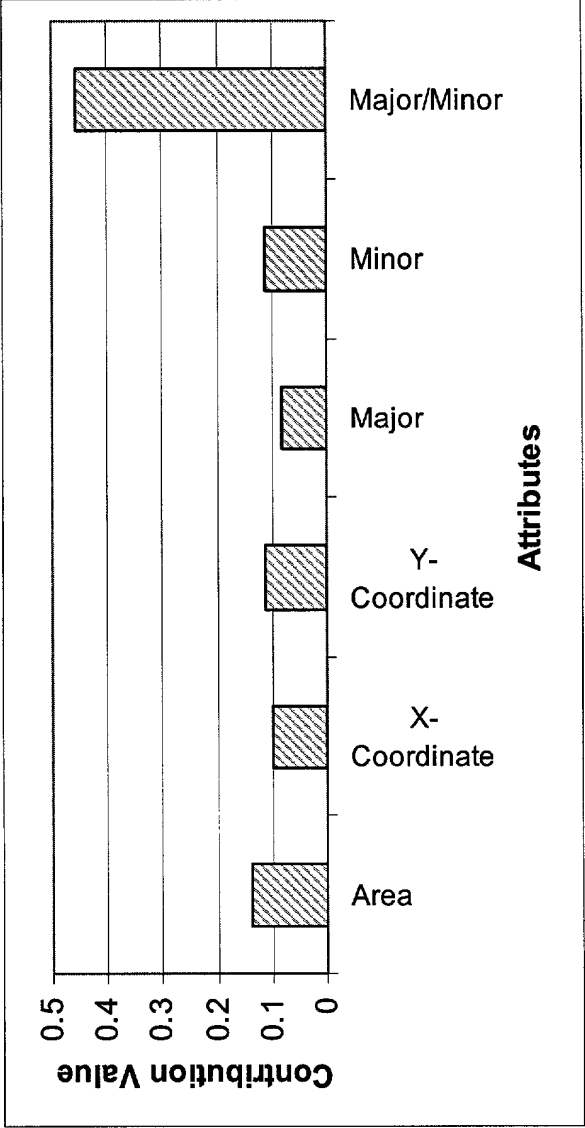


Figure 20: Contribution Values of Attributes Utilized in Designing Neural Network # 1 for Classification of Cracks

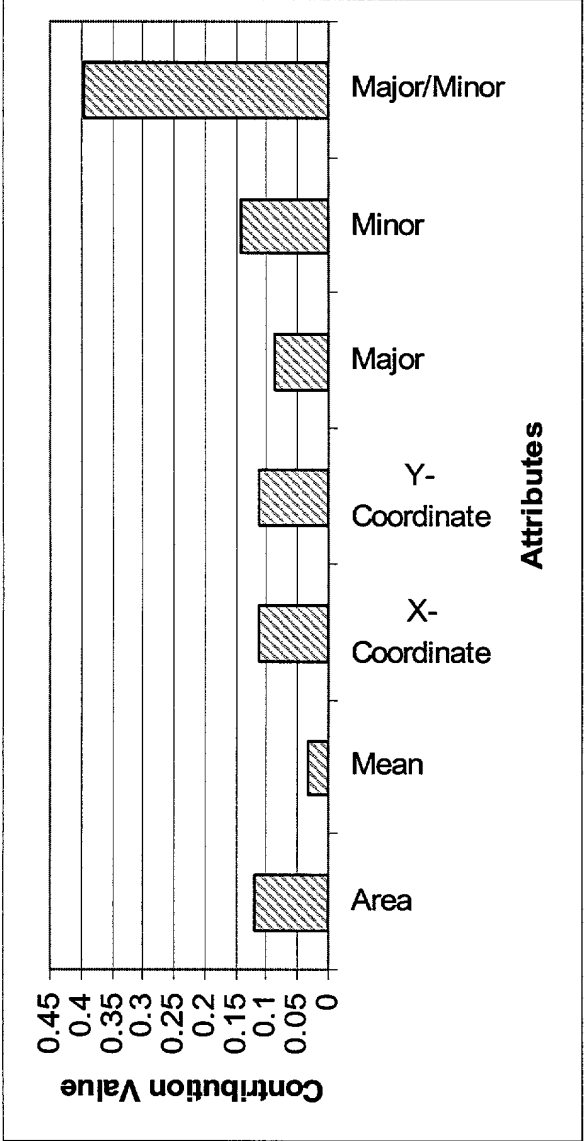


Figure 21: Contribution Values for the Selected Attributes Utilized in Designing CrackNet 2

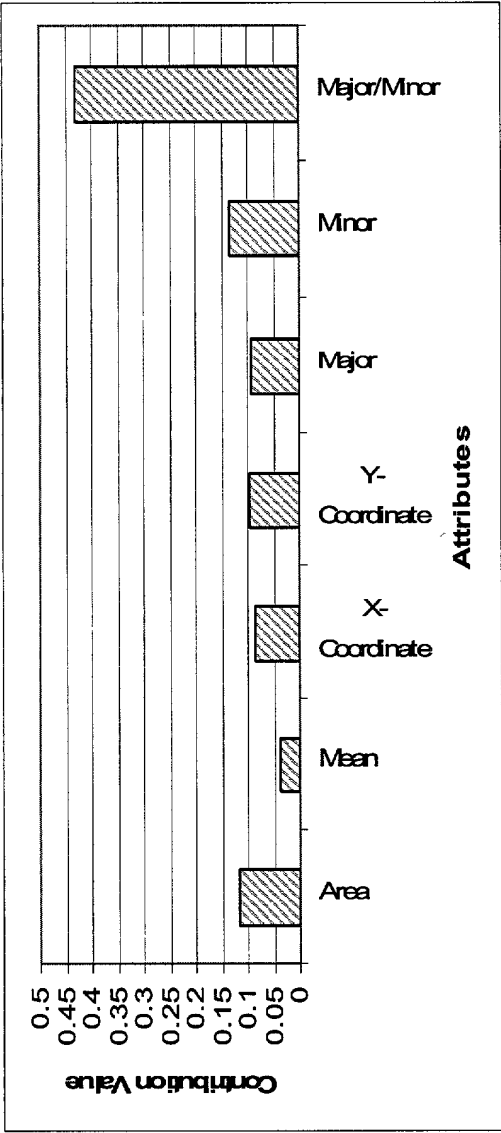


Figure 22: Contribution Values for the Selected Attributes Utilized in Designing CrackNet 3



Figure 23: Segmented Image of a Case Example on Cracks

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| 3 | 0.114000715315 | 0.886296689510 | | | | |
| 4 | 0.000000000000 | 1.000000000000 | | | | |
| 5 | 0.000000000000 | 1.000000000000 | | | | |
| 6 | 0.100026234984 | 0.900299847126 | | | | |
| 7 | 0.031811475754 | 0.968877077103 | | | | |
| 8 | 0.000000000000 | 1.000000000000 | | | | |
| 9 | 0.893140494823 | 0.104359865189 | | | | |
| 10 | 0.019607180730 | 0.980554997921 | | | | |
| 11 | 0.003982819617 | 0.989578843117 | | | | |
| 12 | 0.005694665015 | 0.995122373104 | | | | |
| 13 | 0.573563754559 | 0.428812980552 | | | | |
| 14 | 0.044550366700 | 0.963026463985 | | | | |
| 15 | 0.421342730522 | 0.578073859215 | | | | |
| 16 | 0.706838846207 | 0.292702466249 | | | | |
| 17 | | | | | | |
| 18 | | | | | | |

Figure 24: Output Results of a Case example on Cracks

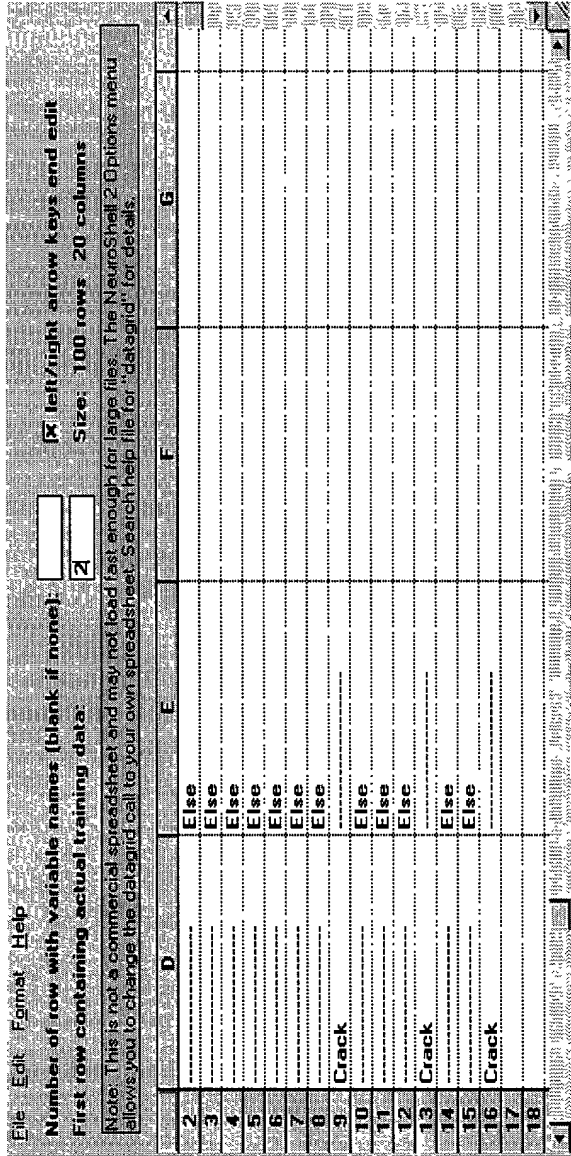


Figure 25: Thresholded Output Results of a Case example on Cracks

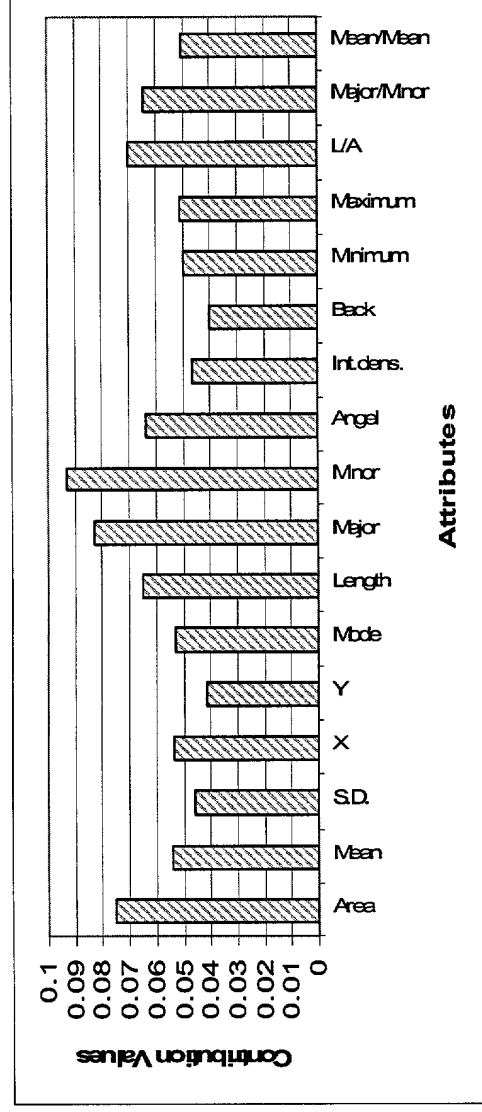


Figure 26: Contribution Values of Attributes Utilized in Designing InfiltrationNet 1

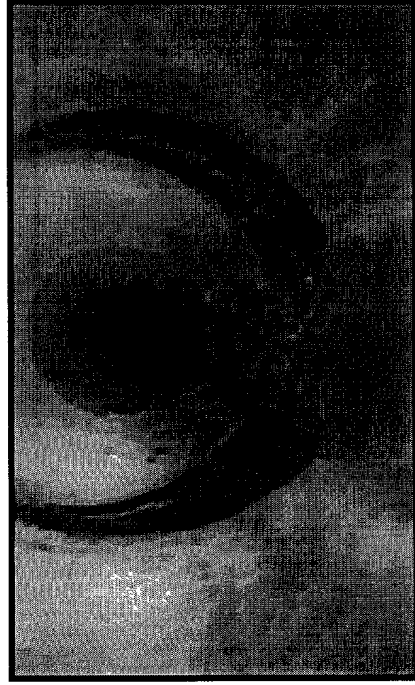


Figure 27: Dilated Image of Infiltration



Figure 29: Thresholded Image of Infiltration

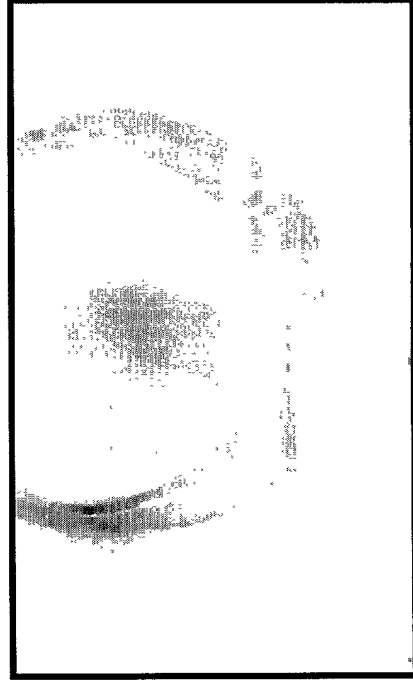


Figure 28: Background subtracted Image of Infiltration

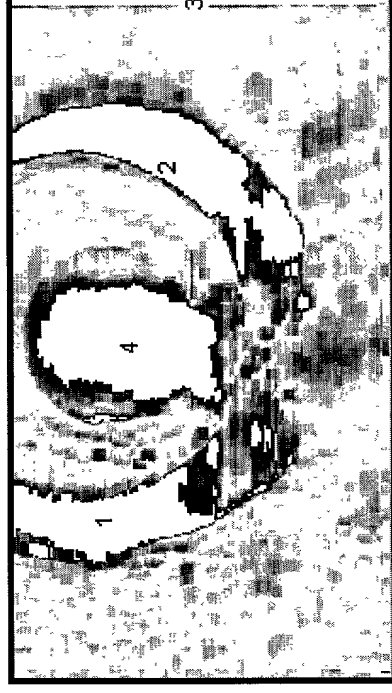


Figure 30: Segmented Image of Infiltration

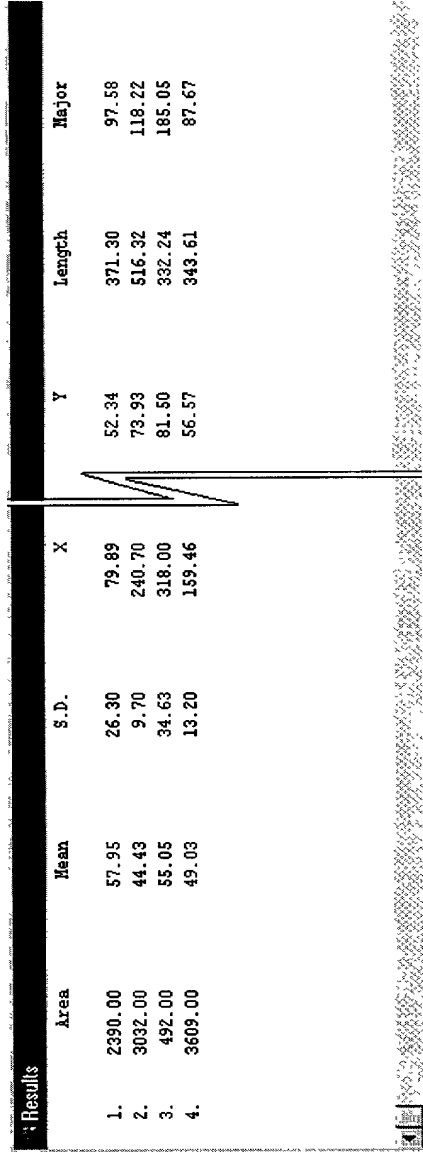


Figure 31: Analysis Results of an Image Depicting Infiltration

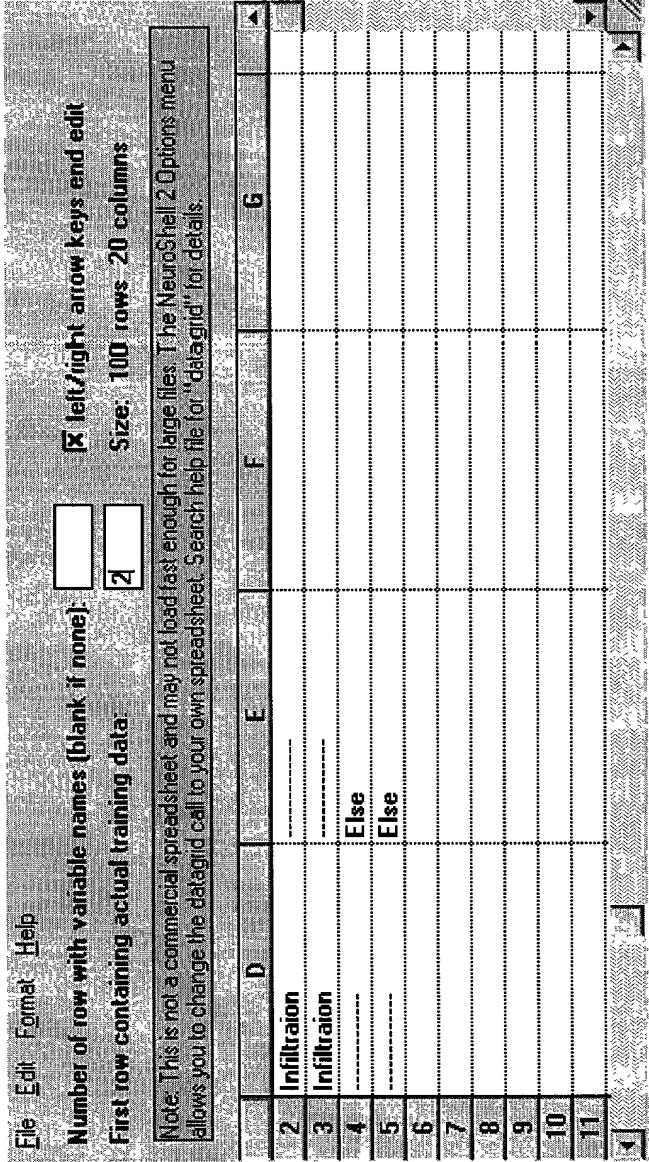


Figure 32: Classification Results of a Case Example on Infiltration

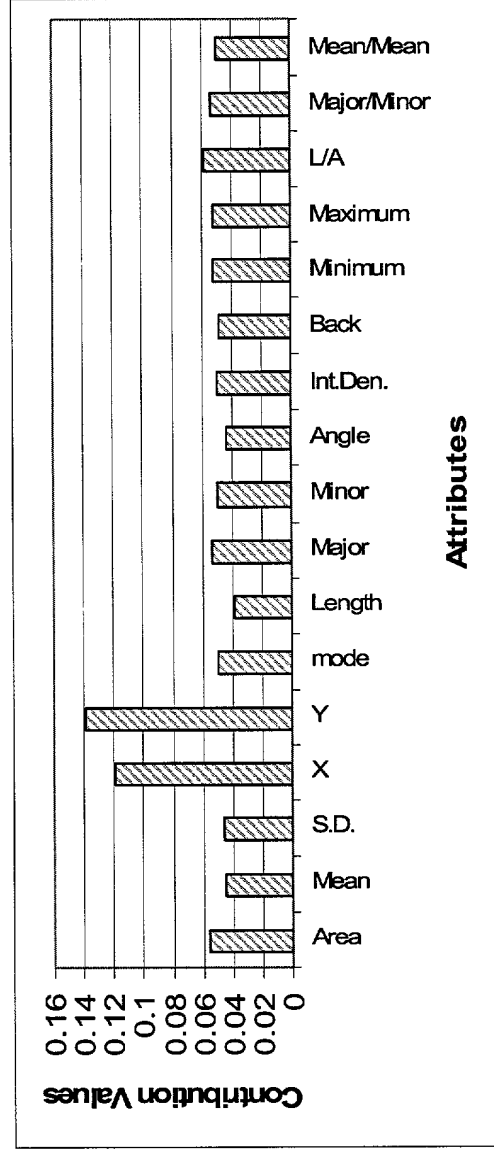


Figure 33: Contribution Values of Attributes Utilized in Designing DepositNet 1



Figure 34: Inverted Image of Deposits



Figure 35: Background Subtracted Image of Deposits

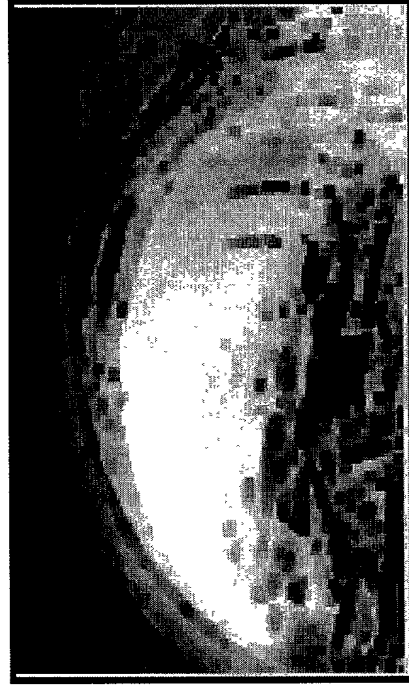


Figure 36: Dilated Image of Deposits



Figure 37: Thresholded Image of Deposits



Figure 38: Segmented Image of Deposits

| Results | | | | | | |
|---------|---------|-------|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Area | Mean | S.D. | X | Y | Length |
| 1. | 2652.00 | 80.03 | 22.30 | 55.32 | 37.85 | 715.94 |
| 2. | 108.00 | 68.61 | 14.66 | 161.80 | 53.11 | 55.60 |
| 3. | 144.00 | 71.94 | 16.32 | 175.35 | 66.67 | 70.43 |
| 4. | 2972.00 | 96.81 | 34.10 | 69.02 | 114.82 | 870.18 |
| | | | | | | Major |
| | | | | | | 109.69 |
| | | | | | | 17.59 |
| | | | | | | 18.30 |
| | | | | | | 98.21 |

Figure 39: Analysis Results of an Image Depicting Deposits

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| 2 | Else | ----- | | |
| 3 | Else | ----- | | |
| 4 | Else | ----- | | |
| 5 | ----- | Deposits | | |
| 6 | | | | |
| 7 | | | | |
| 8 | | | | |
| 9 | | | | |
| 10 | | | | |
| 11 | | | | |
| 4 | | | | |

Figure 40: Classification Results of a Case Example on Deposits

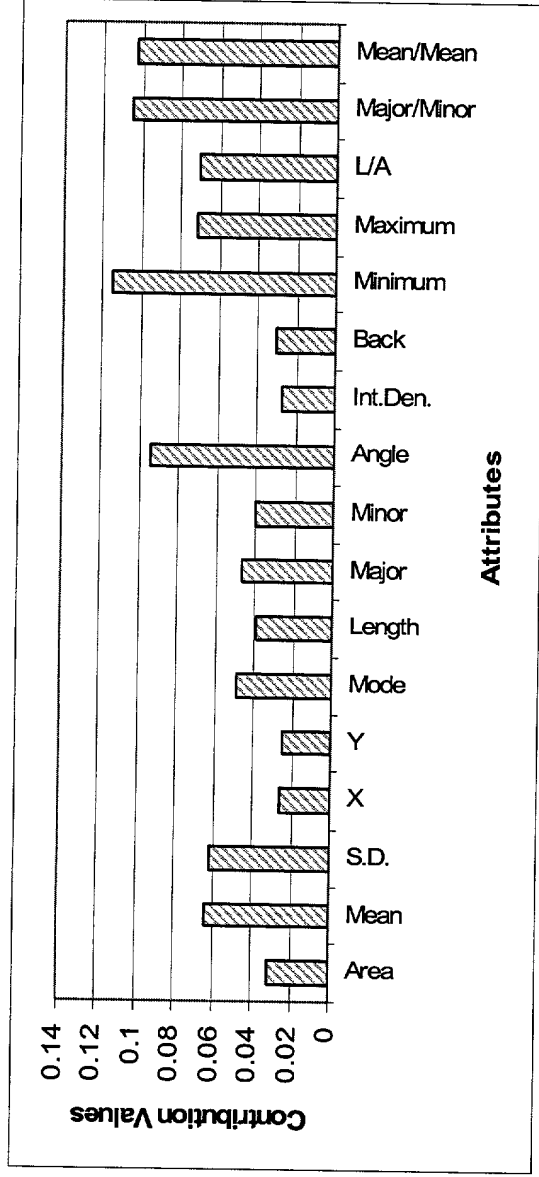


Figure 41: Contribution Values for all Attributes Utilized in Designing a Preliminary Neural Network for Classification of Cross-sectional Reductions



Figure 42: Inverted Image of cross-sectional Reductions



Figure 43: Dilated Image of cross-sectional Reductions

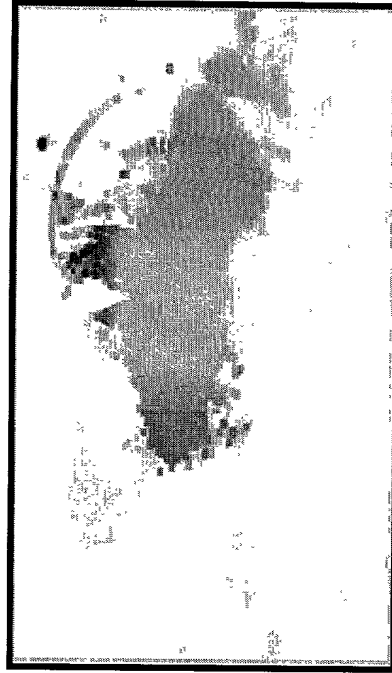


Figure 44: Background subtracted Image of Cross-sectional Reductions



Figure 45: Thresholded Image of Cross-Sectional Reductions

| Results | | | | | | | |
|---------|----------|-------|-------|--------|--------|---------|--------|
| | Area | Mean | S.D. | X | Y | Length | Major |
| 1. | 76.00 | 90.84 | 55.80 | 255.92 | 16.22 | 38.04 | 12.60 |
| 2. | 17141.00 | 77.01 | 17.65 | 206.03 | 102.46 | 1347.63 | 196.15 |
| 3. | 433.00 | 51.68 | 4.15 | 82.04 | 47.86 | 149.88 | 32.95 |
| 4. | 63.00 | 49.22 | 2.34 | 70.62 | 47.83 | 36.38 | 13.25 |
| 5. | 105.00 | 53.85 | 6.10 | 6.34 | 162.71 | 45.56 | 15.40 |

Figure 47: Analysis Results of an Image Depicting Cross-sectional Reductions

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| 2 | Cross-sectional reduction | | | |
| 3 | | | | |
| 4 | | | | |
| 5 | | | | |
| 6 | | | | |
| 7 | | | | |
| 8 | | | | |
| 9 | | | | |
| 10 | | | | |
| 11 | | | | |

Figure 48: Classification Results of a Case Example on Cross-sectional Reductions

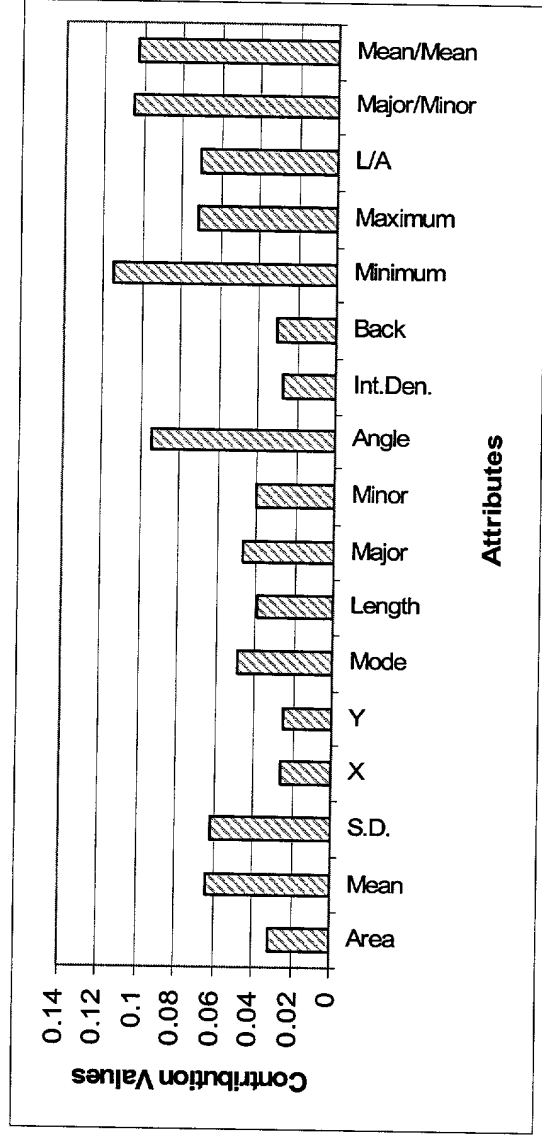


Table 49: Initial Parameters Used in Designing a Preliminary Neural Network for Classification of Misalignments

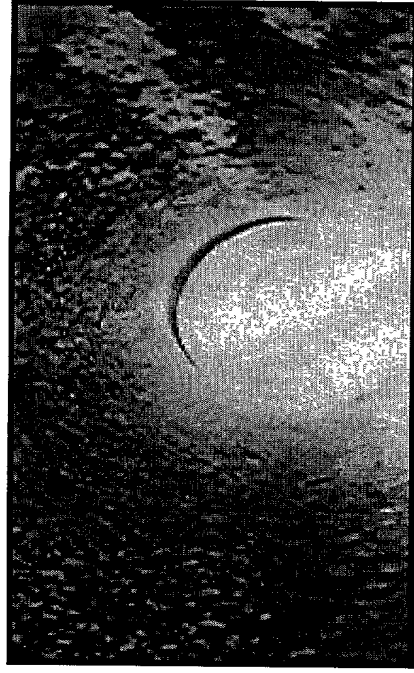


Figure 50: Inverted Image of Misalignments

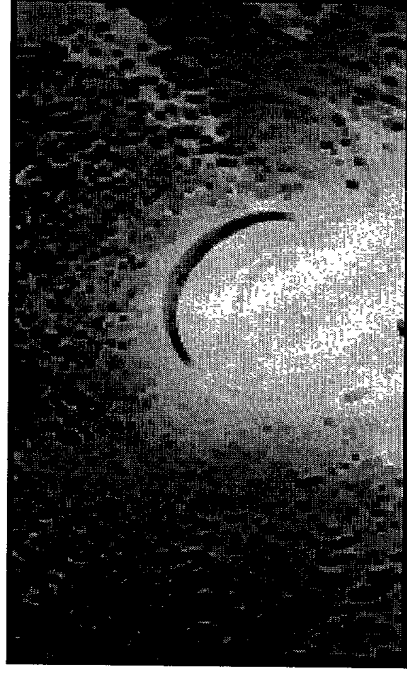


Figure 51: Dilated Image of Misalignments



Figure 52: Background Subtracted Image of Misalignments



Figure 53: Thresholded Image of Misalignments

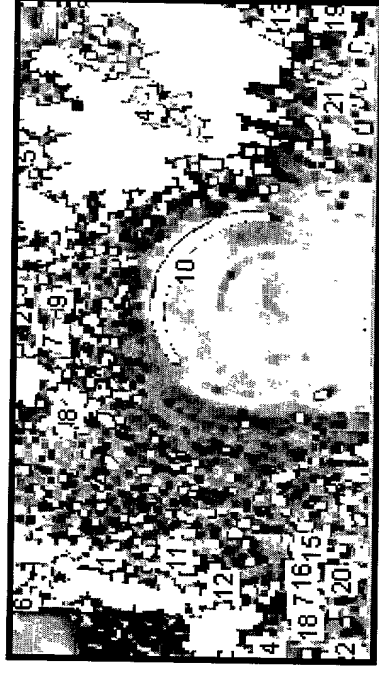


Figure 54: Segmented Image of Misalignments

Figure 55: Analysis Results of an Image Depicting Misalignments

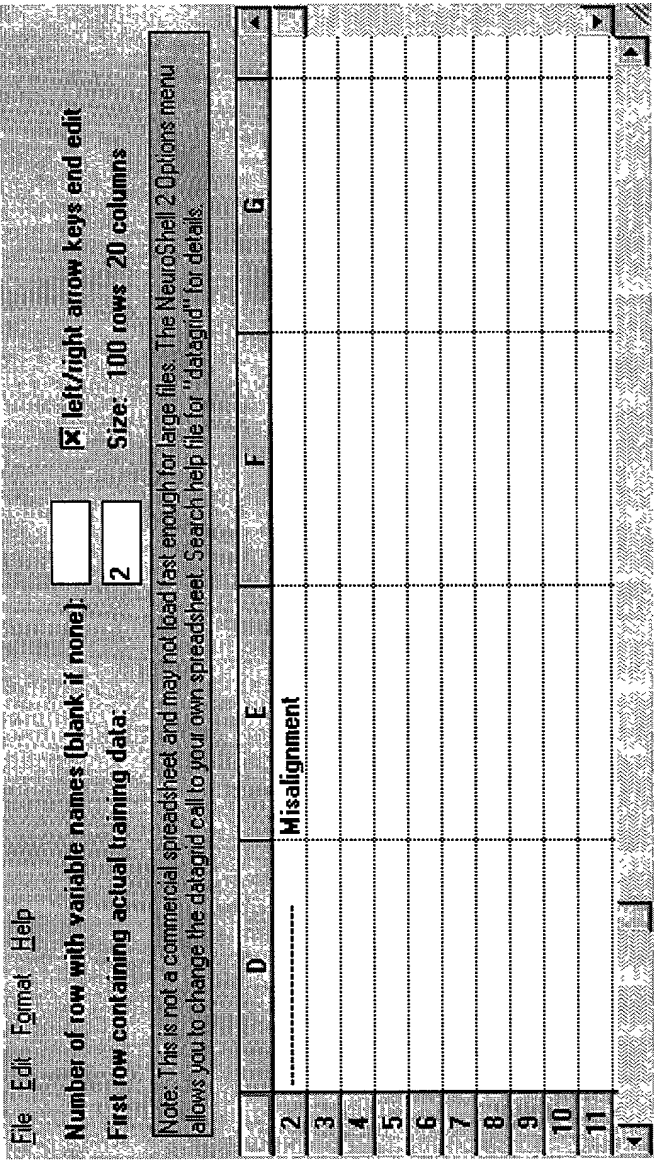


Figure 56: Classification Results of a Case example on Misalignments



Figure 57: Segmented Image of Deposits

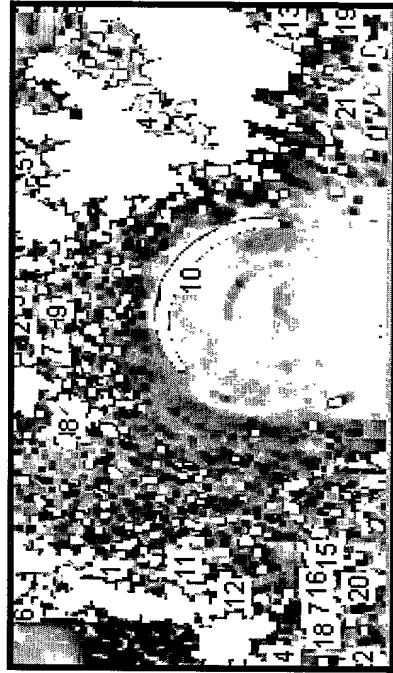


Figure 58: Segmented image of Misalignments



Figure 59: Segmented Image of Cross-sectional Reductions

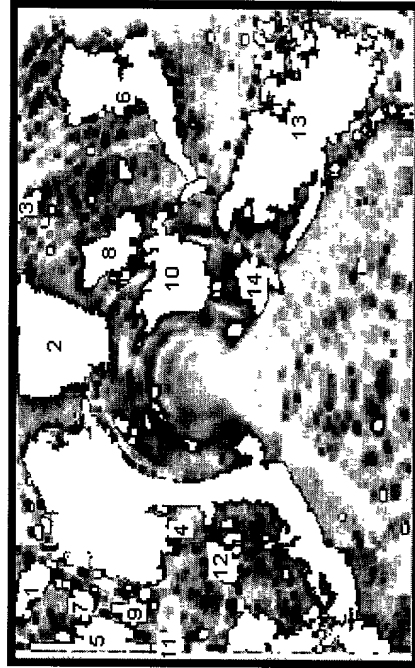


Figure 60: Segmented Image of Cracks



Figure 61: Segmented Image of Infiltration

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|----|-------|----------|---|---|
| 1 | Else | ----- | | |
| 2 | Else | ----- | | |
| 3 | Else | ----- | | |
| 4 | ----- | Deposits | | |
| 5 | | | | |
| 6 | | | | |
| 7 | Else | ----- | | |
| 8 | Else | ----- | | |
| 9 | Else | ----- | | |
| 10 | Else | ----- | | |
| 11 | Else | ----- | | |
| 12 | Else | ----- | | |
| 13 | Else | ----- | | |
| 14 | Else | ----- | | |
| 15 | Else | ----- | | |
| 16 | Else | ----- | | |
| 17 | Else | ----- | | |
| 18 | Else | ----- | | |
| 19 | Else | ----- | | |
| 20 | Else | ----- | | |
| 21 | Else | ----- | | |
| 22 | Else | ----- | | |
| 23 | Else | ----- | | |
| 24 | Else | ----- | | |
| 25 | Else | ----- | | |
| 26 | Else | ----- | | |
| 27 | Else | ----- | | |
| 28 | Else | ----- | | |
| 29 | | | | |
| 30 | | | | |

Figure 62: Output Results of a Case Example on Deposits Utilizing DepositNet 1 and the Solution Strategy Module

| | D | E | F | G |
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| 31 | Else | ----- | | |
| 32 | Else | ----- | | |
| 33 | Else | ----- | | |
| 34 | Else | ----- | | |
| 35 | Else | ----- | | |
| 36 | | | | |
| 37 | | | | |
| 38 | Else | ----- | | |
| 39 | Else | ----- | | |
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| 54 | Else | ----- | | |
| 55 | Else | ----- | | |
| 56 | Else | ----- | | |
| 57 | Else | ----- | | |
| 58 | Else | ----- | | |
| 59 | Else | ----- | | |
| 60 | | | | |
| 61 | | | | |

Figure 62: Output Results of a Case Example on Deposits Utilizing DepositNet 1 and the Solution Strategy Module (Continued)

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| 3 | Else | ----- | | |
| 4 | ----- | Deposits | | |
| 5 | | | | |
| 6 | | | | |
| 7 | Else | ----- | | |
| 8 | Else | ----- | | |
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| 12 | Else | ----- | | |
| 13 | Else | ----- | | |
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| 15 | Else | ----- | | |
| 16 | Else | ----- | | |
| 17 | Else | ----- | | |
| 18 | Else | ----- | | |
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| 20 | Else | ----- | | |
| 21 | Else | ----- | | |
| 22 | Else | ----- | | |
| 23 | Else | ----- | | |
| 24 | Else | ----- | | |
| 25 | Else | ----- | | |
| 26 | Else | ----- | | |
| 27 | Else | ----- | | |
| 28 | Else | ----- | | |
| 29 | | | | |

Figure 63: Output Results of a Case Example on Deposits Utilizing DepositNet 2 and the Solution Strategy Module

| | D | E | F | G |
|----|------|---|---|---|
| 30 | | | | |
| 31 | Else | | | |
| 32 | Else | | | |
| 33 | Else | | | |
| 34 | Else | | | |
| 35 | Else | | | |
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| 38 | Else | | | |
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| 41 | Else | | | |
| 42 | Else | | | |
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| 56 | Else | | | |
| 57 | Else | | | |
| 58 | Else | | | |
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Figure 63: Output Results of a Case Example on Deposits Utilizing DepositNet 2 and the Solution Strategy Module (Continued)

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|----|------|----------|---|---|
| 1 | Else | ----- | | |
| 2 | Else | ----- | | |
| 3 | Else | ----- | | |
| 4 | | Deposits | | |
| 5 | | | | |
| 6 | | | | |
| 7 | Else | ----- | | |
| 8 | Else | ----- | | |
| 9 | Else | ----- | | |
| 10 | Else | ----- | | |
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| 24 | Else | ----- | | |
| 25 | Else | ----- | | |
| 26 | Else | ----- | | |
| 27 | Else | ----- | | |
| 28 | Else | ----- | | |

Figure 64: Output Results of a Case Example on Deposits Utilizing DepositNet 3 and the Solution Strategy Module

| | D | E | F | G |
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| 29 | | | | |
| 30 | | | | |
| 31 | Else | ----- | | |
| 32 | Else | ----- | | |
| 33 | Else | ----- | | |
| 34 | Else | ----- | | |
| 35 | Else | ----- | | |
| 36 | | | | |
| 37 | | | | |
| 38 | Else | ----- | | |
| 39 | Else | ----- | | |
| 40 | Else | ----- | | |
| 41 | Else | ----- | | |
| 42 | Else | ----- | | |
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| 44 | Else | ----- | | |
| 45 | Else | ----- | | |
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| 50 | Else | ----- | | |
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| 54 | Else | ----- | | |
| 55 | Else | ----- | | |
| 56 | Else | ----- | | |
| 57 | Else | ----- | | |
| 58 | Else | ----- | | |
| 59 | Else | ----- | | |

Figure 64: Output Results of a Case Example on Deposits Utilizing DepositNet 3 and the Solution Strategy Module (Continued)

| | AA | AB | AC | AD | AE | AF | AG | AH |
|----|----|----|----|----|----------|----|----|----|
| 1 | | | | | Else | | | |
| 2 | | | | | Else | | | |
| 3 | | | | | Else | | | |
| 4 | | | | | Deposits | | | |
| 5 | | | | | | | | |
| 6 | | | | | | | | |
| 7 | | | | | Else | | | |
| 8 | | | | | Else | | | |
| 9 | | | | | Else | | | |
| 10 | | | | | Else | | | |
| 11 | | | | | Else | | | |
| 12 | | | | | Else | | | |
| 13 | | | | | Else | | | |
| 14 | | | | | Else | | | |
| 15 | | | | | Else | | | |
| 16 | | | | | Else | | | |
| 17 | | | | | Else | | | |
| 18 | | | | | Else | | | |
| 19 | | | | | Else | | | |
| 20 | | | | | Else | | | |
| 21 | | | | | Else | | | |
| 22 | | | | | Else | | | |
| 23 | | | | | Else | | | |
| 24 | | | | | Else | | | |
| 25 | | | | | Else | | | |
| 26 | | | | | Else | | | |
| 27 | | | | | Else | | | |
| 28 | | | | | Else | | | |

Figure 65: Comparison of Output Results of DepositNet 1-3 Utilizing the Multiple Classifier Module

| | AA | AB | AC | AD | AE | AF | AG | AH |
|----|----|----|----|----|------|----|----|----|
| 31 | | | | | Else | | | |
| 32 | | | | | Else | | | |
| 33 | | | | | Else | | | |
| 34 | | | | | Else | | | |
| 35 | | | | | Else | | | |
| 36 | | | | | | | | |
| 37 | | | | | | | | |
| 38 | | | | | Else | | | |
| 39 | | | | | Else | | | |
| 40 | | | | | Else | | | |
| 41 | | | | | Else | | | |
| 42 | | | | | Else | | | |
| 43 | | | | | Else | | | |
| 44 | | | | | Else | | | |
| 45 | | | | | Else | | | |
| 46 | | | | | Else | | | |
| 47 | | | | | Else | | | |
| 48 | | | | | Else | | | |
| 49 | | | | | Else | | | |
| 50 | | | | | Else | | | |
| 51 | | | | | Else | | | |
| 52 | | | | | | | | |
| 53 | | | | | | | | |
| 54 | | | | | Else | | | |
| 55 | | | | | Else | | | |
| 56 | | | | | Else | | | |
| 57 | | | | | Else | | | |
| 58 | | | | | Else | | | |
| 59 | | | | | Else | | | |

Figure 65: Comparison of Output Results of DepositNet 1-3 Utilizing the Multiple Classifier Module (Continued)

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| | D | E | F | G |
|----|---------------------------|-------|---|---|
| 1 | Cross-sectional reduction | ----- | | |
| 2 | | | | |
| 3 | | | | |
| 4 | Cross-sectional reduction | ----- | | |
| 5 | | | | |
| 6 | | | | |
| 7 | | | | |
| 8 | | | | |
| 9 | | | | |
| 10 | | | | |

Figure 66: Output Results of a Case Example on Cross-sectional Reductions Utilizing CrossNet 1 and the Solution Strategy

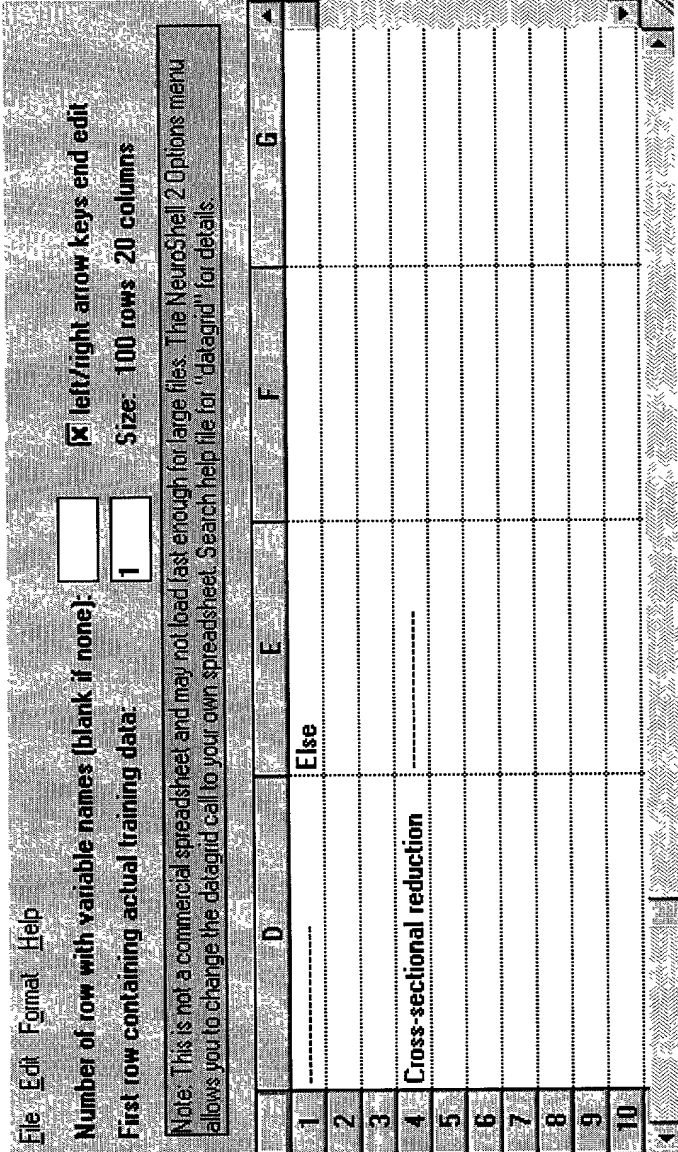


Figure 67: Output Results of a Case Example on Cross-sectional Reductions Utilizing CrossNet 2 and the Solution Strategy

Figure 68: Output Results of a Case Example on Cross-sectional Reductions Utilizing CrossNet 3 and the Solution Strategy Module

| | AC | AD | AE | AF | AG | AJ | AK | AL | AM |
|----|----|-------|----------------------------|----|----|----|----|------|----|
| 1 | | equal | | | | | | Else | |
| 2 | | | | | | | | | |
| 3 | | | | | | | | | |
| 4 | | | Cross-sectional reductions | | | | | | |
| 5 | | | | | | | | | |
| 6 | | | | | | | | | |
| 7 | | | | | | | | | |
| 8 | | | | | | | | | |
| 9 | | | | | | | | | |
| 10 | | | | | | | | | |

Figure 69: Comparison of Output Results of CrossNet 1-3 Utilizing the Multiple Classifier Module

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| | D | E | F | G | |
|----|-------|--------------|---|---|--|
| 1 | ----- | Misalignment | | | |
| 2 | | | | | |
| 3 | | | | | |
| 4 | Else | ----- | | | |
| 5 | | | | | |
| 6 | | | | | |
| 7 | | | | | |
| 8 | | | | | |
| 9 | | | | | |
| 10 | | | | | |

Figure 70: Output Results of a Case Example on Misalignments Utilizing MisalignmentNet 1 and the Solution Strategy Module

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First row containing actual training data:

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| | D | E | F | G | H |
|----|-------|--------------|---|---|---|
| 1 | ----- | Misalignment | | | |
| 2 | | | | | |
| 3 | | | | | |
| 4 | Else | ----- | | | |
| 5 | | | | | |
| 6 | | | | | |
| 7 | | | | | |
| 8 | | | | | |
| 9 | | | | | |
| 10 | | | | | |
| 11 | | | | | |

Figure 71: Output Results of a Case Example on Misalignments Utilizing MisalignmentNet 2 and the Solution Strategy Module

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| | D | E | F | G | |
|----|-------|--------------|---|---|--|
| 1 | ----- | Misalignment | | | |
| 2 | | | | | |
| 3 | | | | | |
| 4 | ----- | ----- | | | |
| 5 | | | | | |
| 6 | | | | | |
| 7 | | | | | |
| 8 | | | | | |
| 9 | | | | | |
| 10 | | | | | |

Figure 72: Output Results of a Case Example on Misalignments Utilizing MisalignmentNet 3 and the Solution Strategy

| | AA | AB | AC | AD | AE | AF | AG |
|----|----|----|-------|------|--------------|----|----|
| 1 | | | | | Misalignment | | |
| 2 | | | | | | | |
| 3 | | | | | | | |
| 4 | | | equal | Else | | | |
| 5 | | | | | | | |
| 6 | | | | | | | |
| 7 | | | | | | | |
| 8 | | | | | | | |
| 9 | | | | | | | |
| 10 | | | | | | | |

Figure 73: Comparison of Output Results of MisalignmentNet 1-3 Utilizing the Multiple Classifier Module



Figure 74: Segmented Image of Cracks



Figure 75: Segmented Image of Cross-sectional Reductions

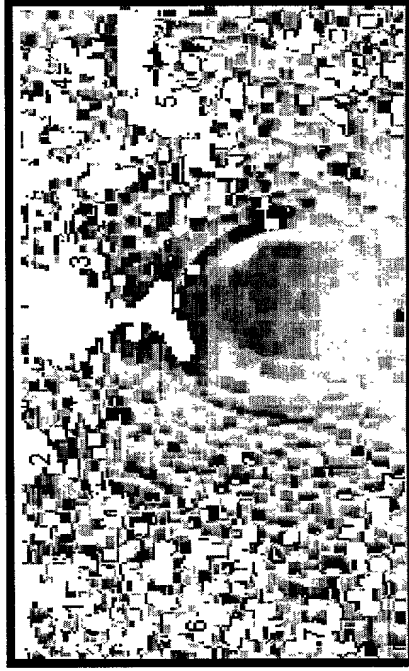


Figure 76: Segmented Image of Misalignments



Figure 77: Segmented image of Deposits

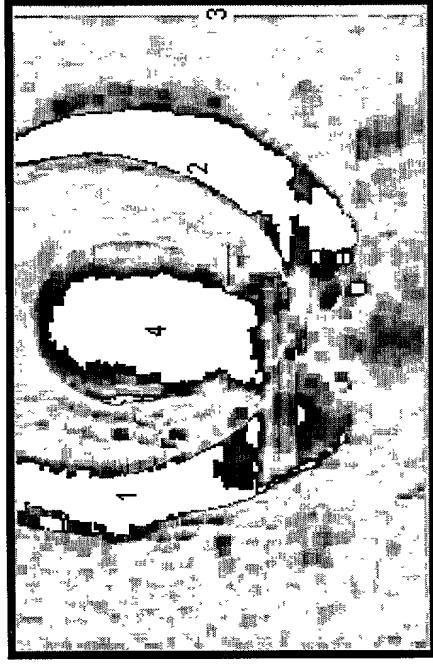


Figure 78: Segmented Image of Infiltration

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First row containing actual training data:

Size: 100 rows 20 columns

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| | D | E | F | G |
|----|-------|------|---|---|
| 1 | ----- | Else | | |
| 2 | ----- | Else | | |
| 3 | ----- | Else | | |
| 4 | ----- | Else | | |
| 5 | ----- | Else | | |
| 6 | ----- | Else | | |
| 7 | | | | |
| 8 | | | | |
| 9 | ----- | Else | | |
| 10 | ----- | Else | | |
| 11 | ----- | Else | | |
| 12 | ----- | Else | | |
| 13 | ----- | Else | | |
| 14 | ----- | Else | | |
| 15 | ----- | Else | | |
| 16 | | | | |
| 17 | | | | |

Figure 79: Output Results of a Case Example on Infiltration Utilizing InfiltrationNet 1 and the Solution Strategy Module

| | D | E | F | G |
|----|--------------|-------|---|---|
| 18 | ----- | Else | | |
| 19 | ----- | Else | | |
| 20 | ----- | Else | | |
| 21 | ----- | Else | | |
| 22 | Infiltration | ----- | | |
| 23 | ----- | Else | | |
| 24 | ----- | Else | | |
| 25 | | | | |
| 26 | | | | |
| 27 | ----- | Else | | |
| 28 | ----- | Else | | |
| 29 | ----- | Else | | |
| 30 | | | | |
| 31 | | | | |
| 32 | Infiltration | ----- | | |
| 33 | Infiltration | ----- | | |
| 34 | ----- | Else | | |
| 35 | ----- | Else | | |
| 36 | | | | |

Figure 79: Output Results of a Case Example on Infiltration Utilizing InfiltrationNet 1 and the Solution Strategy Module (Continued)

File Edit Format Help

Number of row with variable names (blank if none): ☒ left/right arrow keys end edit

First row containing actual training data: Size: 100 rows 20 columns

Note: This is not a commercial spreadsheet and may not load fast enough for large files. The NeuroShell 2 Options menu "datagrid" for details.

| | D | E | F | G |
|----|--------------|-------|---|---|
| 1 | ----- | Else | | |
| 2 | ----- | Else | | |
| 3 | ----- | Else | | |
| 4 | Infiltration | ----- | | |
| 5 | ----- | Else | | |
| 6 | ----- | Else | | |
| 7 | | | | |
| 8 | | | | |
| 9 | ----- | Else | | |
| 10 | ----- | Else | | |
| 11 | ----- | Else | | |
| 12 | ----- | Else | | |
| 13 | ----- | Else | | |
| 14 | ----- | Else | | |
| 15 | ----- | Else | | |
| 16 | | | | |

Figure 80: Output Results of a Case Example on Infiltration Utilizing InfiltrationNet 2 and the Solution Strategy Module

| | D | E | F | G |
|----|--------------|-------|---|---|
| 17 | | | | |
| 18 | ----- | Else | | |
| 19 | ----- | Else | | |
| 20 | ----- | Else | | |
| 21 | ----- | Else | | |
| 22 | ----- | Else | | |
| 23 | ----- | Else | | |
| 24 | ----- | Else | | |
| 25 | | | | |
| 26 | | | | |
| 27 | ----- | Else | | |
| 28 | Infiltration | ----- | | |
| 29 | ----- | Else | | |
| 30 | | | | |
| 31 | | | | |
| 32 | Infiltration | ----- | | |
| 33 | Infiltration | ----- | | |
| 34 | ----- | Else | | |
| 35 | ----- | Else | | |
| 36 | | | | |
| 37 | | | | |

Figure 80: Output Results of a Case Example on Infiltration Utilizing InfiltrationNet 2 and the Solution Strategy Module (Continued)

File Edit Format Help

Number of row with variable names (blank if none):

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First row containing actual training data:

Size: 100 rows 20 columns

Note: This is not a commercial spreadsheet and may not load fast enough for large files. The NeuroShell 2 Options menu "datagrid" for details.

| | D | E | F | G |
|----|--------------|-------|---|---|
| 1 | Infiltration | ----- | | |
| 2 | ----- | Else | | |
| 3 | ----- | Else | | |
| 4 | ----- | Else | | |
| 5 | ----- | Else | | |
| 6 | ----- | Else | | |
| 7 | | | | |
| 8 | | | | |
| 9 | ----- | Else | | |
| 10 | ----- | Else | | |
| 11 | ----- | Else | | |
| 12 | ----- | Else | | |
| 13 | ----- | Else | | |
| 14 | ----- | Else | | |
| 15 | ----- | Else | | |
| 16 | | | | |
| 17 | | | | |

Figure 81: Output Results of a Case Example on Infiltration Utilizing InfiltrationNet 3 and the Solution Strategy Module

| | D | E | F | G |
|----|--------------|-------|---|---|
| 18 | ----- | Else | | |
| 19 | ----- | Else | | |
| 20 | ----- | Else | | |
| 21 | ----- | Else | | |
| 22 | ----- | Else | | |
| 23 | ----- | Else | | |
| 24 | ----- | Else | | |
| 25 | | | | |
| 26 | | | | |
| 27 | ----- | Else | | |
| 28 | ----- | Else | | |
| 29 | ----- | Else | | |
| 30 | | | | |
| 31 | | | | |
| 32 | Infiltration | ----- | | |
| 33 | Infiltration | ----- | | |
| 34 | ----- | Else | | |
| 35 | ----- | Else | | |
| 36 | | | | |
| 37 | | | | |
| 38 | | | | |

Figure 81: Output Results of a Case Example on Infiltration Utilizing InfiltrationNet 3 and the Solution Strategy Module (Continued)

Figure 82: Comparison of Output Results of InfiltrationNet 1-3 Utilizing the Multiple Classifier Module

| | | |
|----|--------------|------|
| 18 | Else | |
| 19 | Else | |
| 20 | Else | |
| 21 | Else | |
| 22 | equal | Else |
| 23 | Else | |
| 24 | Else | |
| 25 | | |
| 26 | | |
| 27 | Else | |
| 28 | equal | Else |
| 29 | Else | |
| 30 | | |
| 31 | | |
| 32 | Infiltration | |
| 33 | Infiltration | |
| 34 | Else | |
| 35 | Else | |
| 36 | | |

Figure 82: Comparison of Output Results of InfiltrationNet 1-3 Utilizing the Multiple Classifier Module (Continued)



Figure 83: Segmented Image of Cracks



Figure 84: Segmented Image of Cross-sectional Reductions

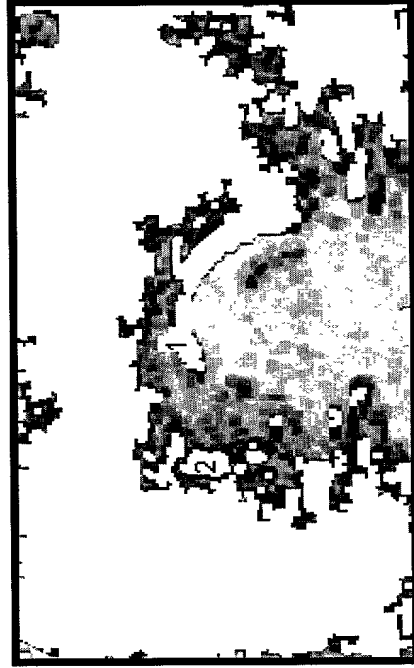


Figure 85: Segmented Image of Misalignments



Figure 86: Segmented Image of Deposits



Figure 87: Segmented Image of Infiltration

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| | D | E | F | G |
|----|-------|-------|---|---|
| 1 | ----- | Else | | |
| 2 | ----- | Else | | |
| 3 | ----- | Else | | |
| 4 | ----- | Else | | |
| 5 | ----- | Else | | |
| 6 | ----- | Else | | |
| 7 | ----- | Else | | |
| 8 | Crack | ----- | | |
| 9 | ----- | Else | | |
| 10 | ----- | Else | | |
| 11 | ----- | Else | | |
| 12 | Crack | ----- | | |
| 13 | ----- | Else | | |
| 14 | ----- | Else | | |
| 15 | ----- | Else | | |
| 16 | ----- | | | |
| 17 | ----- | | | |
| 18 | ----- | Else | | |
| 19 | ----- | Else | | |
| 20 | ----- | Else | | |
| 21 | ----- | Else | | |
| 22 | ----- | | | |

Figure 88: Output Results of a Case Example on Cracks Utilizing CrackNet 1 and the Solution Strategy Module

| | | | | |
|----|-------|-------|---|---|
| | D | E | F | G |
| 23 | | | | |
| 24 | ----- | Else | | |
| 25 | ----- | Else | | |
| 26 | | | | |
| 27 | | | | |
| 28 | Crack | ----- | | |
| 29 | ----- | Else | | |
| 30 | | | | |
| 31 | | | | |
| 32 | ----- | Else | | |
| 33 | Crack | ----- | | |
| 34 | ----- | Else | | |
| 35 | ----- | Else | | |
| 36 | ----- | Else | | |
| 37 | ----- | Else | | |
| 38 | ----- | Else | | |
| 39 | ----- | Else | | |
| 40 | ----- | Else | | |
| 41 | | | | |
| 42 | | | | |
| 43 | | | | |

Figure 88: Output Results of a Case Example on Cracks Utilizing CrackNet 1 and the Solution Strategy Module (Continued)

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Size: 100 rows 20 columns

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| | D | E | F | G |
|----|-------|-------|---|---|
| 1 | ----- | Else | | |
| 2 | ----- | Else | | |
| 3 | ----- | Else | | |
| 4 | ----- | Else | | |
| 5 | ----- | Else | | |
| 6 | ----- | Else | | |
| 7 | ----- | Else | | |
| 8 | Crack | ----- | | |
| 9 | ----- | Else | | |
| 10 | ----- | Else | | |
| 11 | ----- | Else | | |
| 12 | Crack | ----- | | |
| 13 | ----- | Else | | |
| 14 | ----- | Else | | |
| 15 | Crack | ----- | | |
| 16 | | | | |
| 17 | | | | |
| 18 | ----- | Else | | |
| 19 | ----- | Else | | |
| 20 | ----- | Else | | |
| 21 | ----- | Else | | |
| 22 | | | | |
| 23 | | | | |

Figure 89: Output Results of a Case Example on Cracks Utilizing CrackNet 2 and the Solution Strategy Module

| | D | E | F | G |
|----|-------|-------|---|---|
| 24 | Crack | ----- | | |
| 25 | ----- | Else | | |
| 26 | | | | |
| 27 | | | | |
| 28 | ----- | Else | | |
| 29 | ----- | Else | | |
| 30 | | | | |
| 31 | | | | |
| 32 | ----- | Else | | |
| 33 | Crack | ----- | | |
| 34 | ----- | Else | | |
| 35 | ----- | Else | | |
| 36 | ----- | Else | | |
| 37 | ----- | Else | | |
| 38 | ----- | Else | | |
| 39 | ----- | Else | | |
| 40 | ----- | Else | | |
| 41 | | | | |
| 42 | | | | |

Figure 89: Output Results of a Case Example on Cracks Utilizing CrackNet 2 and the Solution Strategy Module (Continued)

Figure 90: Output Results of a Case Example on Cracks Utilizing CrackNet 3 and the Solution Strategy Module

| | D | E | F | G |
|----|-------|-------|---|---|
| 22 | | | | |
| 23 | | | | |
| 24 | ----- | Else | | |
| 25 | ----- | Else | | |
| 26 | | | | |
| 27 | | | | |
| 28 | ----- | Else | | |
| 29 | ----- | Else | | |
| 30 | | | | |
| 31 | | | | |
| 32 | ----- | Else | | |
| 33 | Crack | ----- | | |
| 34 | ----- | Else | | |
| 35 | ----- | Else | | |
| 36 | ----- | Else | | |
| 37 | ----- | Else | | |
| 38 | ----- | Else | | |
| 39 | ----- | Else | | |
| 40 | ----- | Else | | |
| 41 | | | | |
| 42 | | | | |

Figure 90: Output Results of a Case Example on Cracks Utilizing CrackNet 3 and the Solution Strategy Module (Continued)

| | AB | AC | AD | AE | AF | AG | AH | AI | AJ | AK | AL |
|----|----|-------|----|-------|----|----|----|----|----|-------|----|
| 1 | | | | Else | | | | | | | |
| 2 | | | | Else | | | | | | | |
| 3 | | | | Else | | | | | | | |
| 4 | | | | Else | | | | | | | |
| 5 | | | | Else | | | | | | | |
| 6 | | | | Else | | | | | | | |
| 7 | | | | Else | | | | | | | |
| 8 | | | | Crack | | | | | | | |
| 9 | | | | Else | | | | | | | |
| 10 | | | | Else | | | | | | | |
| 11 | | | | Else | | | | | | | |
| 12 | | | | Crack | | | | | | | |
| 13 | | | | Else | | | | | | | |
| 14 | | | | Else | | | | | | | |
| 15 | | equal | | | | | | | | Crack | |
| 16 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 17 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 18 | | | | Else | | | | | | | |
| 19 | | | | Else | | | | | | | |
| 20 | | | | Else | | | | | | | |
| 21 | | | | Else | | | | | | | |
| 22 | | | | | | | | | | | |

Figure 91: Comparison of Output Results of CrackNet 1-3 Utilizing the Multiple Classifier Module

| | AB | AC | AD | AE | AF | AG | AH | AI | AJ | AK | AL |
|----|----|----|-------|-------|----|----|------|----|----|----|------|
| 23 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 24 | | | equal | | | | Else | | | | |
| 25 | | | | Else | | | | | | | |
| 26 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 27 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 28 | | | equal | | | | | | | | Else |
| 29 | | | | Else | | | | | | | |
| 30 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 31 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 32 | | | | Else | | | | | | | |
| 33 | | | | Crack | | | | | | | |
| 34 | | | | Else | | | | | | | |
| 35 | | | | Else | | | | | | | |
| 36 | | | | Else | | | | | | | |
| 37 | | | | Else | | | | | | | |
| 38 | | | | Else | | | | | | | |
| 39 | | | | Else | | | | | | | |
| 40 | | | | Else | | | | | | | |
| 41 | | | | | | | | | | | |

Figure 91: Comparison of Output Results of CrackNet 1-3 Utilizing the Multiple Classifier Module (Continued)

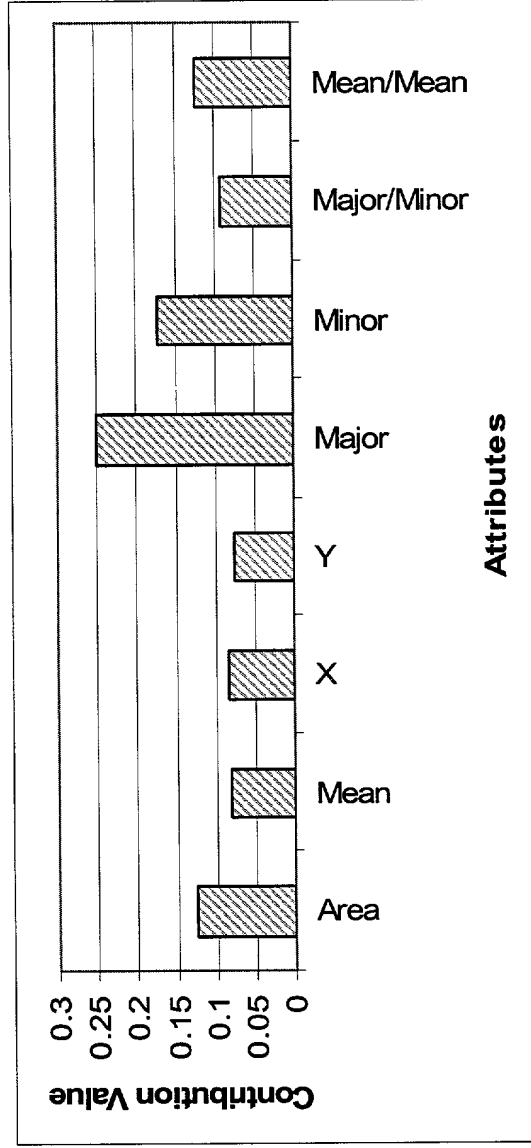


Figure 108: Contribution Values of Attributes Utilized in Designing InfiltrationNet 2

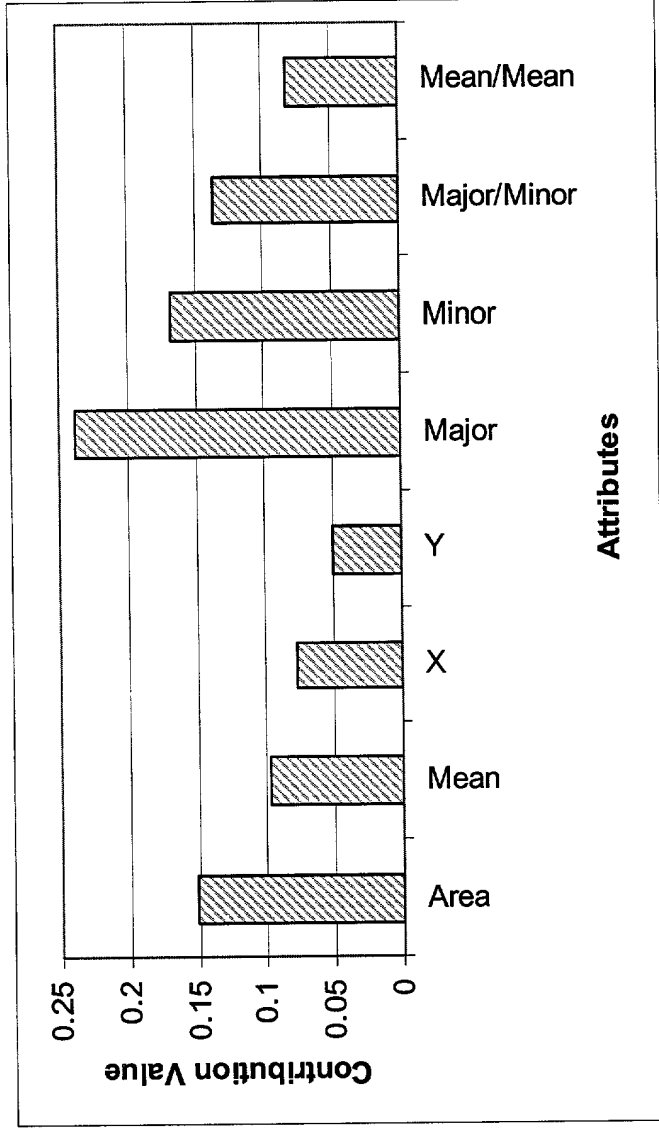


Figure 109: Contribution Values of Attributes Utilized in Designing InfiltrationNet 3

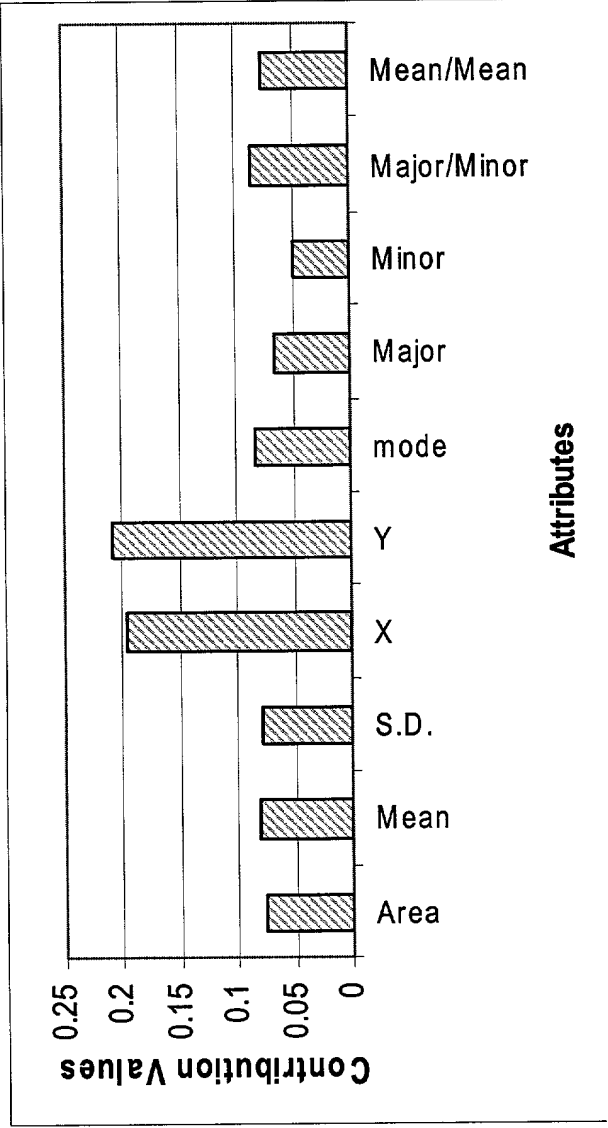


Figure 110: Contribution Values of Attributes Utilized in Designing DepositNet 2

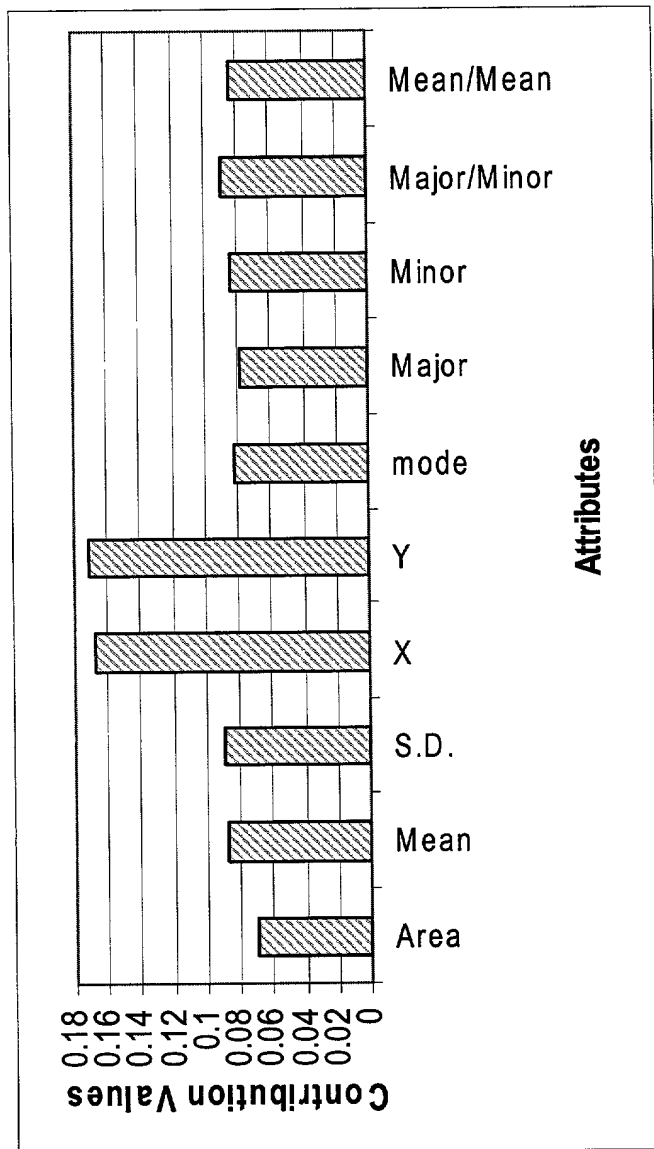


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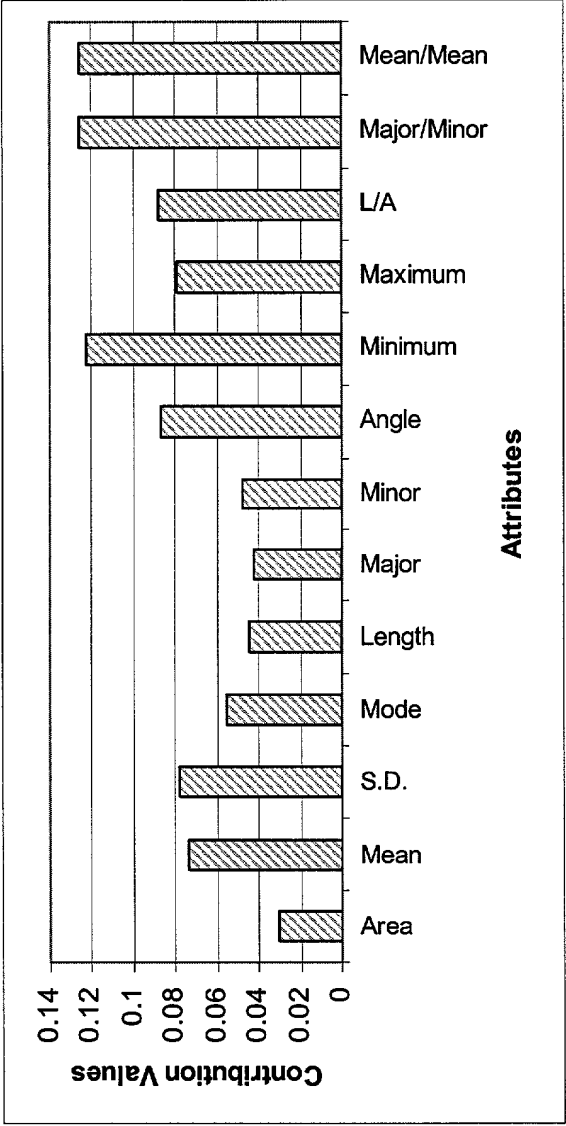


Figure 112: Contribution Values of Attributes Utilized in Designing CrossNet 1

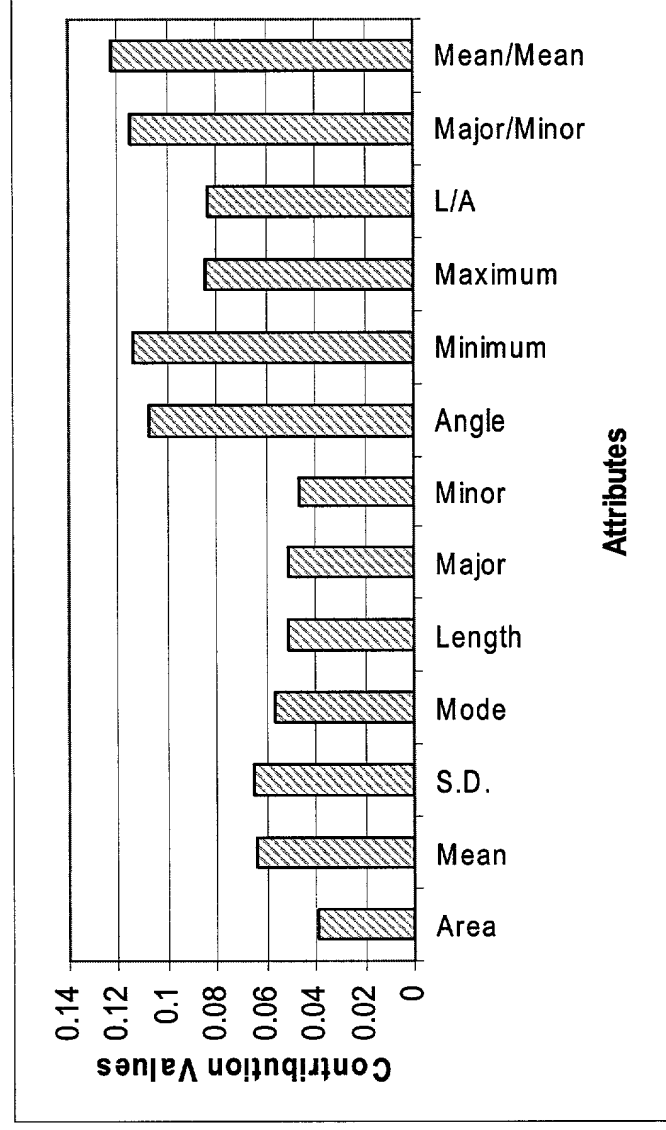


Figure 113: Contribution Values of Attributes Utilized in Designing CrossNet 2

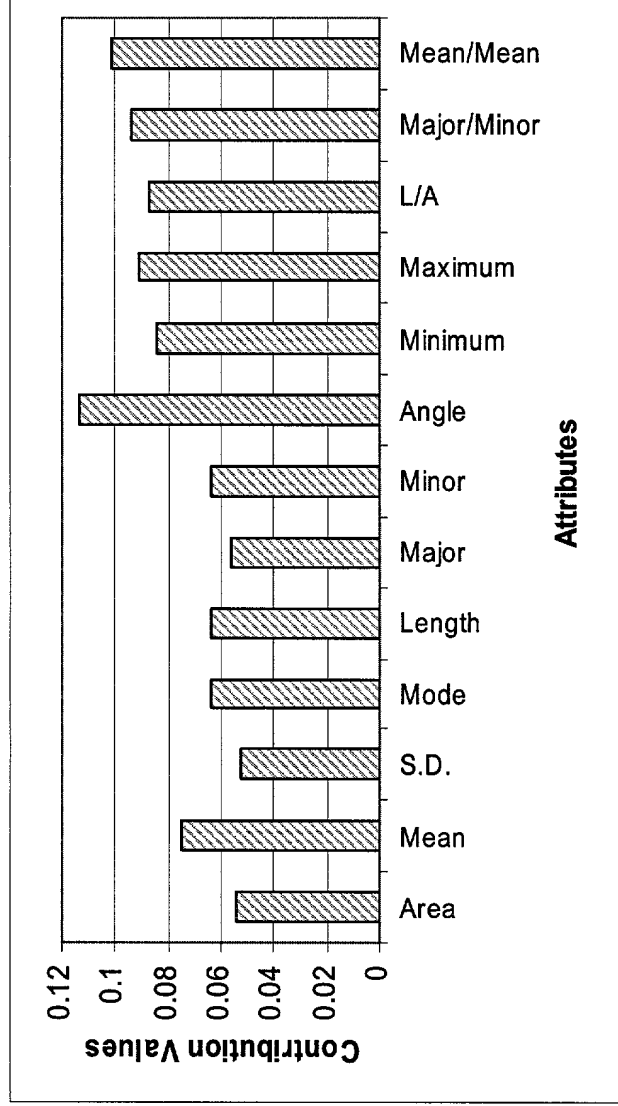


Figure 114: Contribution Values of Attributes Utilized in Designing CrossNet 2

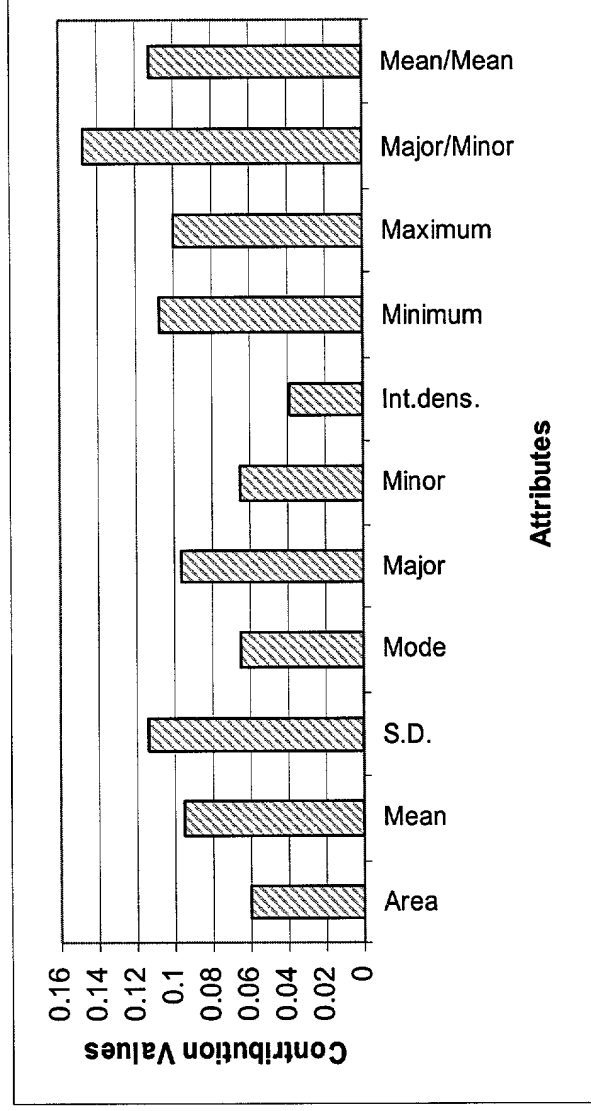


Figure 115: Contribution Values of Attributes Utilized in Designing AlignmentNet 1

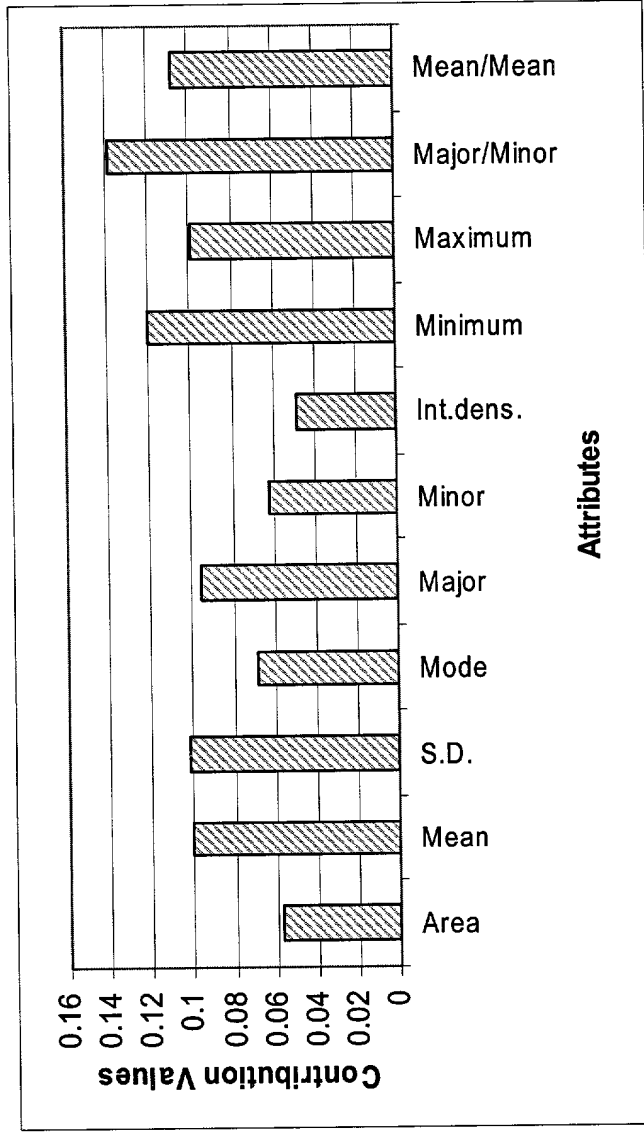


Figure 116: Contribution Values of Attributes Utilized in Designing AlignmentNet 2

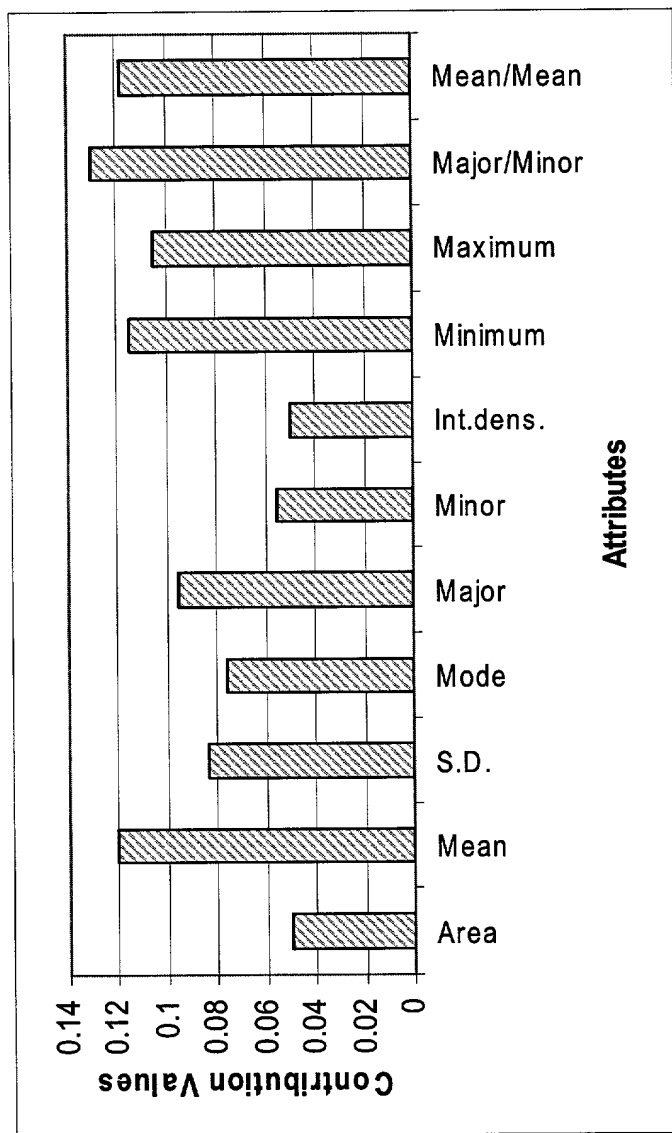


Figure 117: Contribution Values of Attributes Utilized in Designing AlignmentNet 3

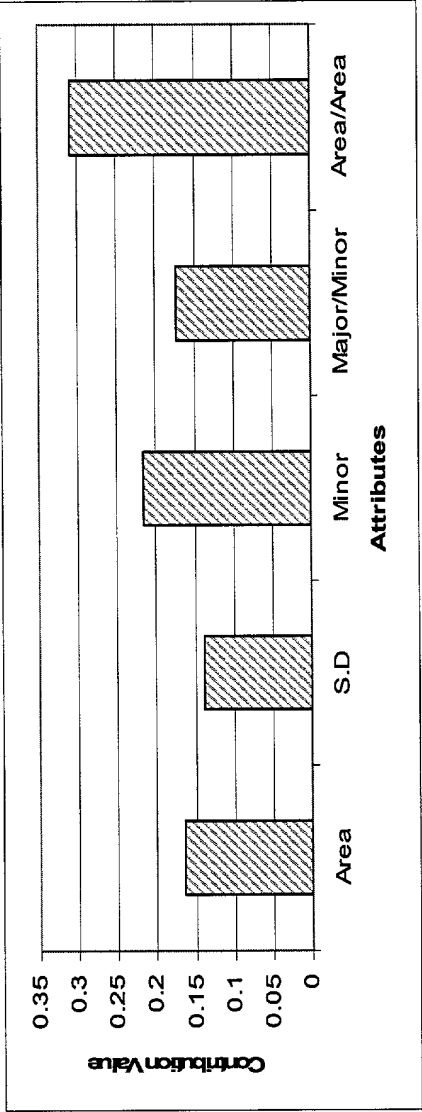


Figure 118: Contribution Values of Attributes Utilized in Designing ModCrossNet 1

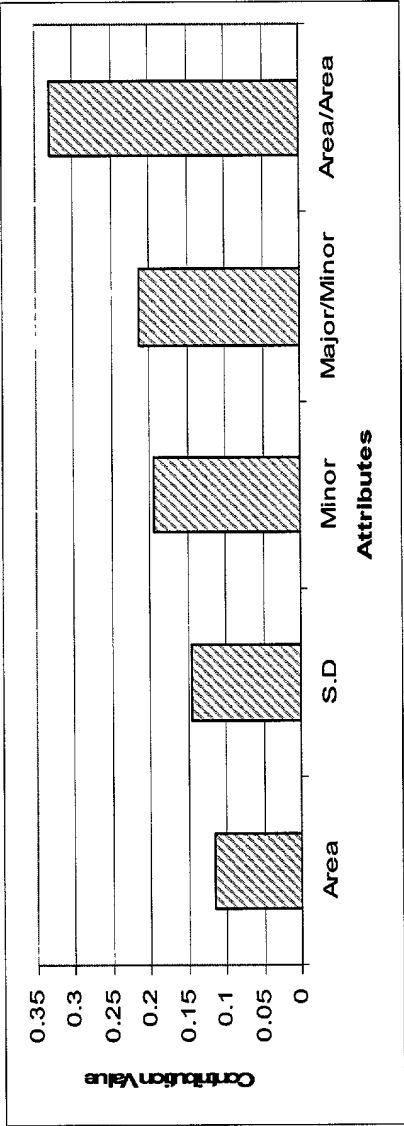


Figure 119: Contribution Values of Attributes Utilized in Designing ModCrossNet 2

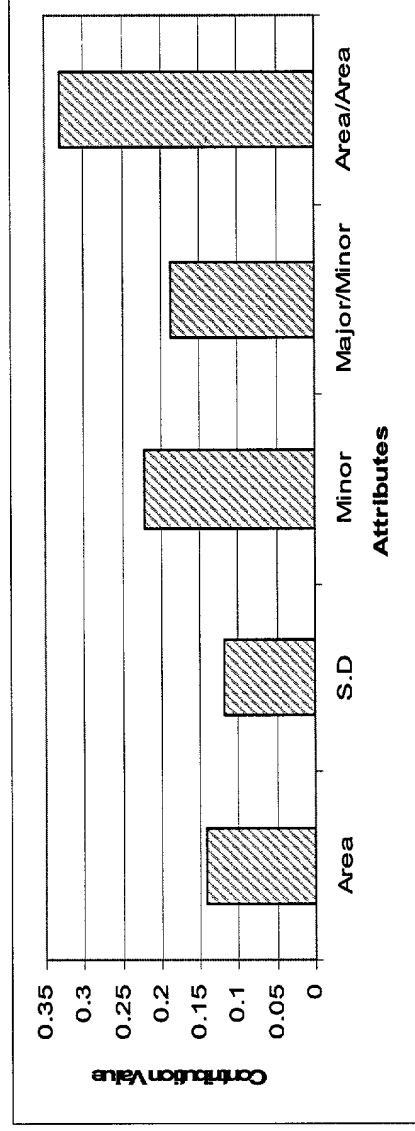


Figure 120: Contribution Values of Attributes Utilized in Designing ModCrossNet 3

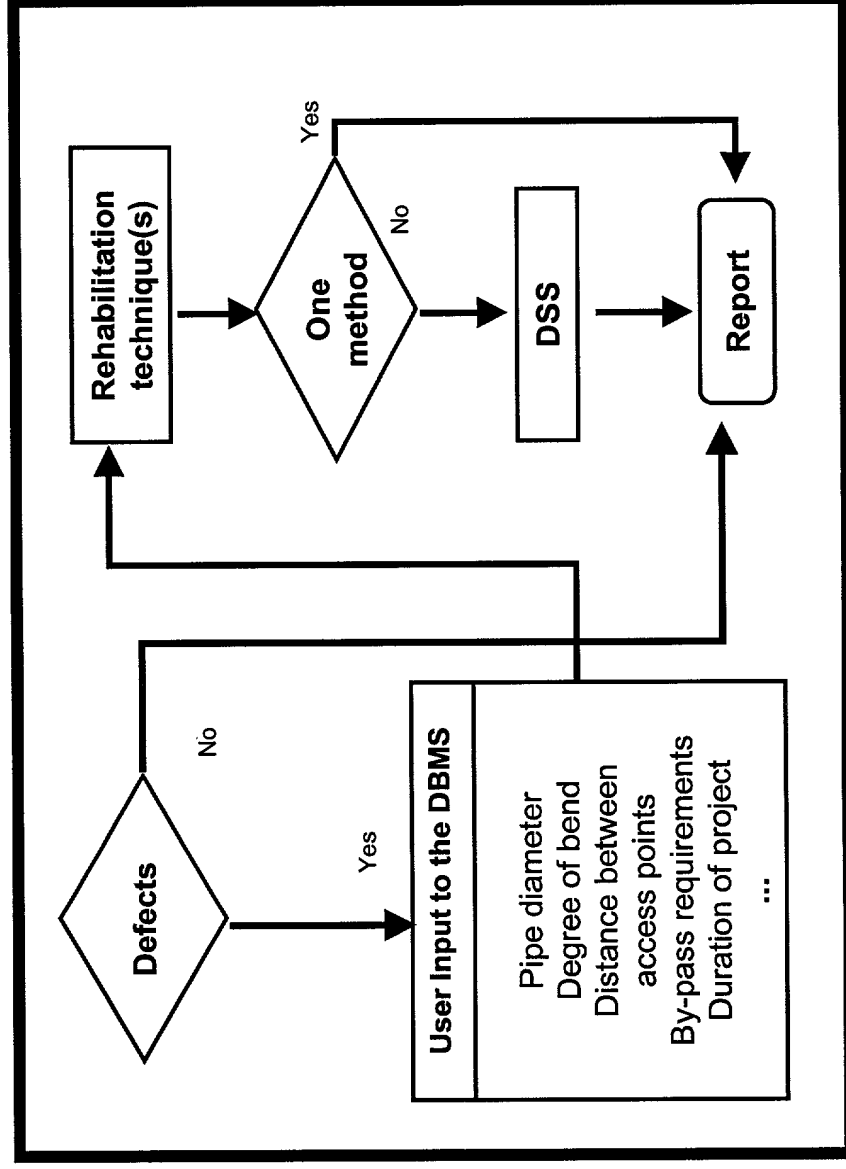


Figure 4-1: Developed Rehabilitation system

| products : Table | | | |
|------------------|----------------------------------------|------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|
| | Field Name | Data Type | Description |
| | ProductID | AutoNumber | Database serial number |
| | Method of repair | Text | Commercial name of rehabilitation technique |
| | Maximum distance between access points | Number | Maximum allowable distance between access points to the host pipe |
| | Maximum degree of bends | Number | Maximum degree of bends of the host pipe |
| | Average cost | Number | Cost of product |
| | Average duration | Number | Duration to install 500 (m) of pipe in weeks |
| | Number of years in business | Number | Years in business of supplier |
| | Life expectancy | Number | Design life of new pipe |
| | Local experience | Text | Does the supplier have an Office in Canada |
| | Access type | Text | Type of access required to the host pipe |
| | Length of product installed | Number | Number of KM of product installed by the supplier |
| | Innovation | Number | Ability of supplier to accommodate none standard designs |
| | Coordinates | Number | Phone number |

General

Field Size

New Values

Format

Caption

Indexed

lookup

Long Integer

Increment

Product ID

Yes (No Duplicates)

Field Properties

A field name can be up to 64 characters long, including spaces.
Press F1 for help on field names.

Figure 4-2: Products Table

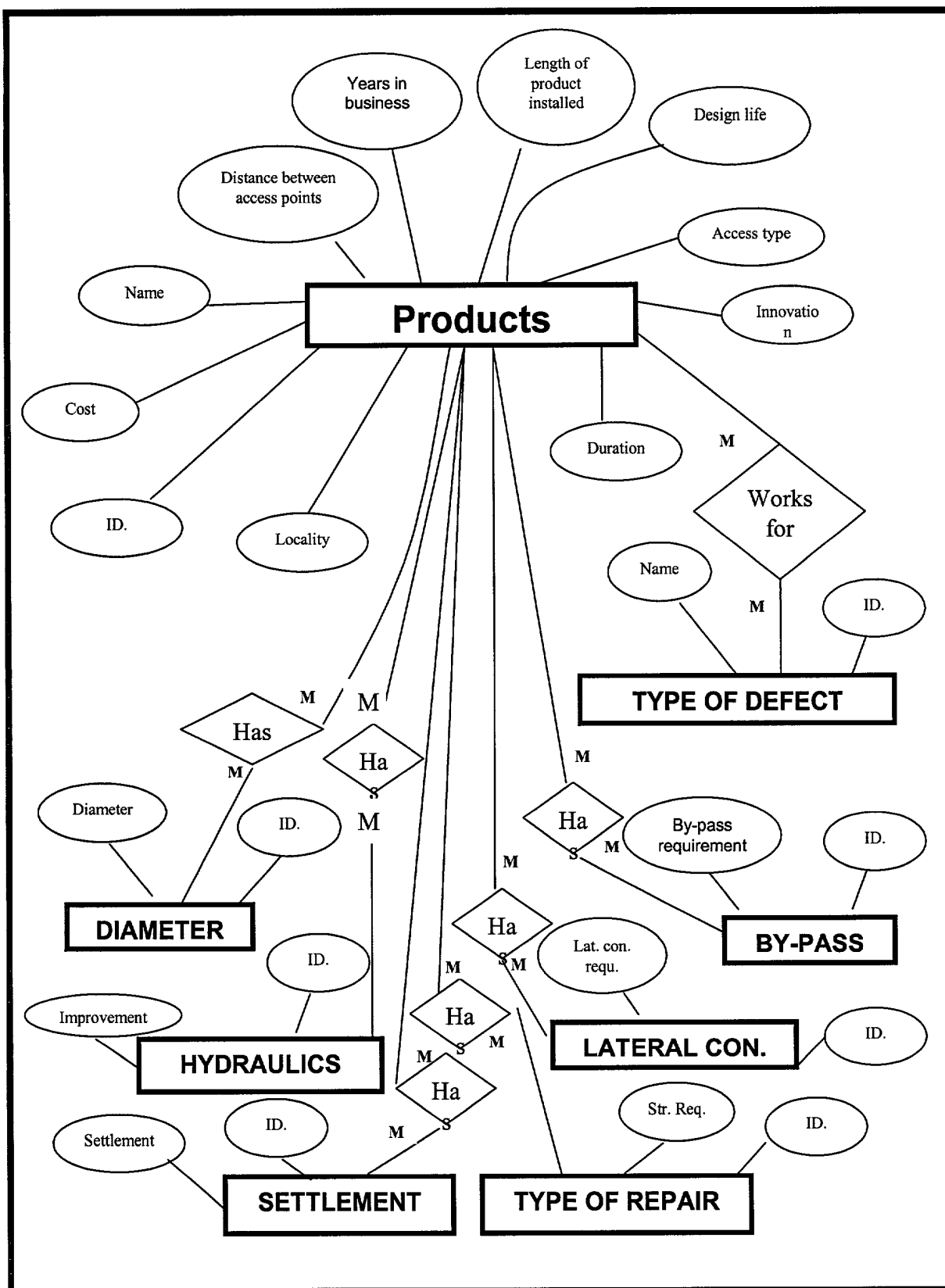


Figure 4-3: Entity Relationship Diagram

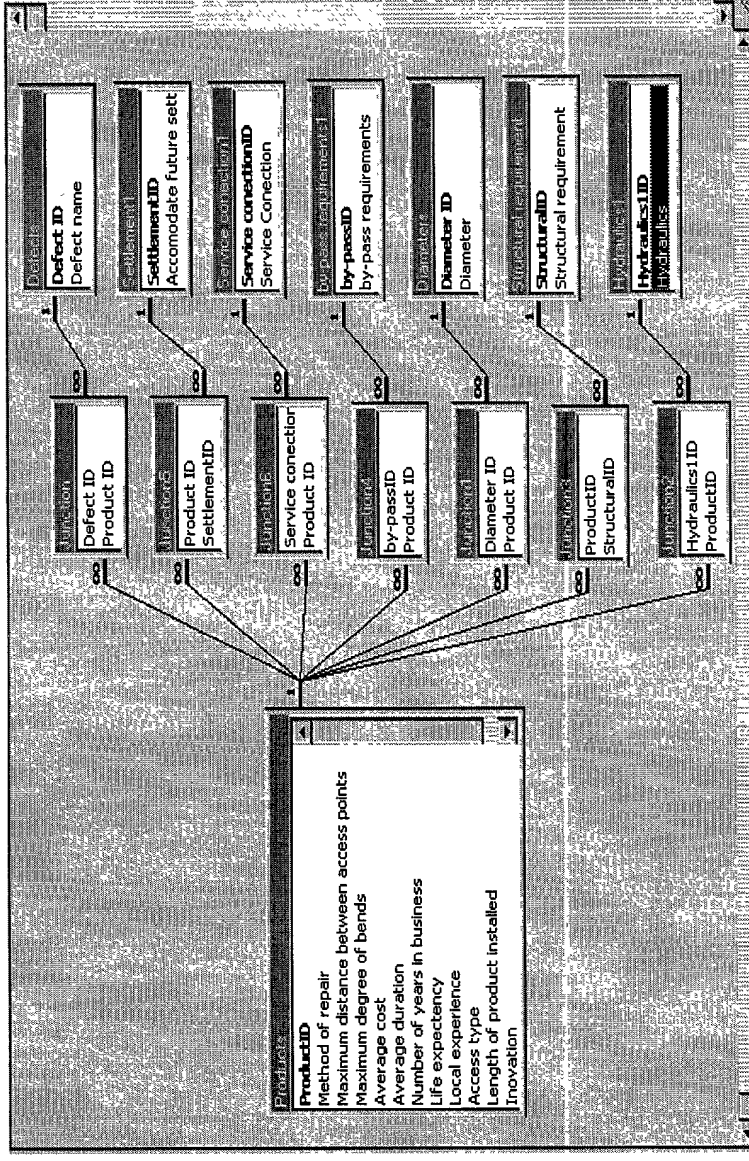


Figure 4-4: Schema of the Developed Database

Figure 4-5: Database Execution Form

The image is a screenshot of a database execution form. At the top left, there is a title bar with the text 'RUNSCREEN4' and standard window control buttons (minimize, maximize, close). The main content area has a dark, textured background. In the center, the text 'AUTO - SELECT' is displayed in large, bold, white capital letters. Below this, in smaller white capital letters, is 'Department of Building, Civil and Environmental Engineering'. Further down, also in white capital letters, is 'CONCORDIA UNIVERSITY'. At the bottom right, there is a small rectangular button with the text 'RUN' in white capital letters.

select7: Filter by Form

Diameter [in/cm]

Defect name

Structural requirement [structural/ non-structural]

Average cost [\$ /cm of diameter/m of length]

Maximum degree of bends [Degrees]

Access type [manhole/ manhole/exca.pits]

Maximum distance between access points [m]

Hydraulics [improved/not improved]

by-pass requirements [yes/no]

Average duration [weeks]

Number of years in business [years]

Length of product installed [km]

Life expectancy [years]

Local experience [yes/no]

Accomodate future settlement [yes/no]

Inovation [1-5]

Service Connection [exc. is require/not required]

RESULTS

Non-structural structural

Method of repair

Coordinates

Look for

Figure 4-6: Data Entry and Retrieval Form

UserForm20

Which attributes do you want to consider in your analysis

| | |
|------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Cost | <input type="checkbox"/> Years in business |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Duration | <input type="checkbox"/> Length of product installed |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Life expectancy | <input type="checkbox"/> Innovation |

Next

Figure 4-7: Available Attributes to Users

UserForm22

What, in your opinion, is the most acceptable cost of project...?
(i.e. 100 % satisfaction)

Add

Next

Figure 4-8: Sample Dialog Screen

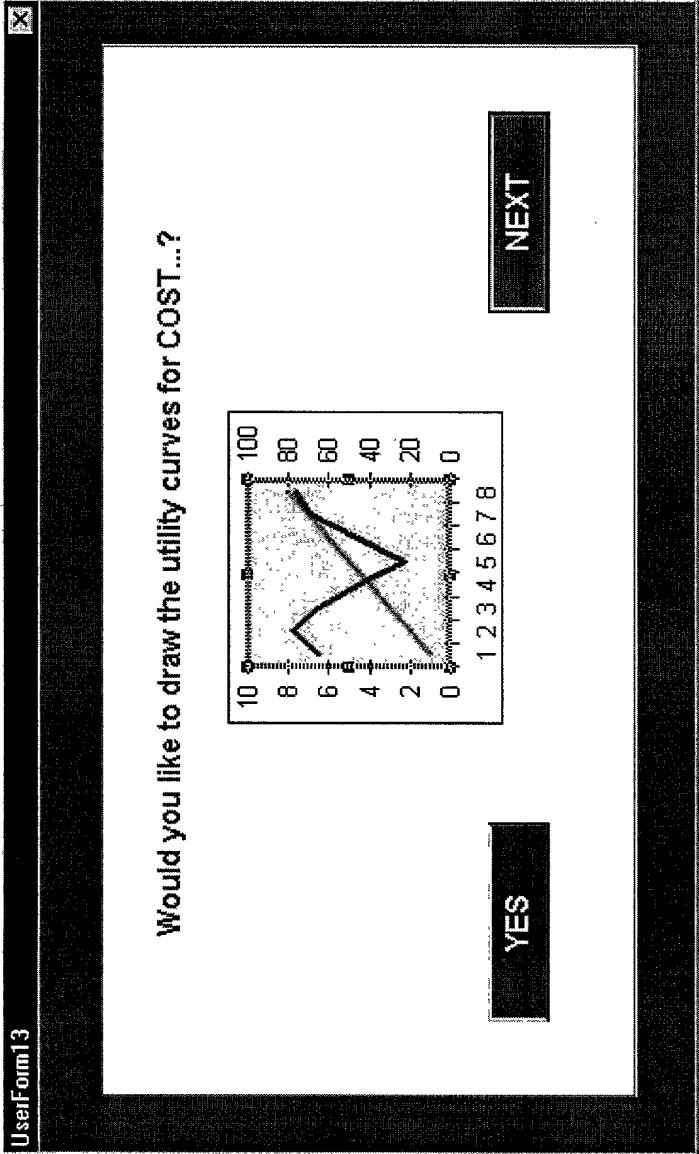


Figure 4-9: Plotting of Utility Functions

UserForm2

WHICH FUNCTION DID YOU SELECT

☐ Linear

☐ Logarithmic

☐ Exponential

☐ Power

☐ Polynomial (second degree)

☐ Polynomial (Third degree)

UP

Next

Down

Figure 4-10: Selection of Utility Functions

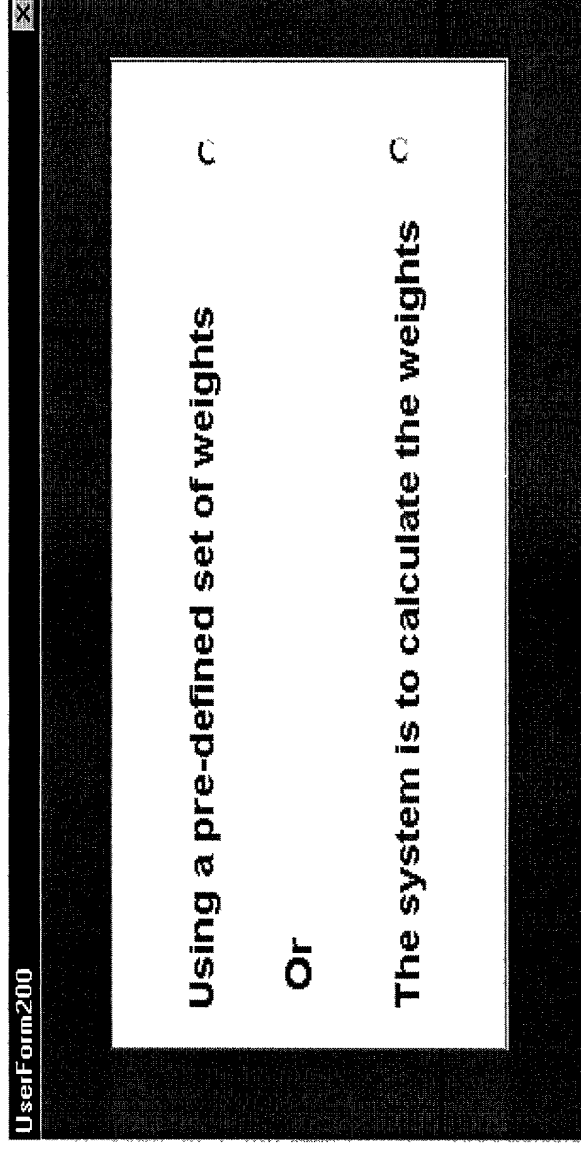


Figure 4-11: Selection of Required Mode of Weight Calculation

UserForm201

| | | | |
|-----------------|----------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------|
| Cost | <input type="text"/> | Years in business | <input type="text"/> |
| Duration | <input type="text"/> | Length of product installed | <input type="text"/> |
| Life expectancy | <input type="text"/> | Innovation | <input type="text"/> |

Retrive file Load pre-calculated weights Enter pre-defined weights Next

Figure 4-12: Feeding a Pre-Calculated Set of Weights

UserForm508

File Name

Open file

Figure 4-13: Retrieving a Pre-Defined Set of Weights

UserForm121

Cost

1.00

Duration

1.00

Years in business

1.00

Life expectancy

1.00

Length of product installed

1.00

Innovation

1.00

Cost

Duration

Years in business

Life expectancy

Length of product installed

Innovation

1.00

1.00

1.00

1.00

1.00

1.00

Life expectancy

Length of product installed

Innovation

1.00

1.00

1.00

Next

Figure 4-14: Relative Importance Screen

UserForm122

WEIGHT CALCULATIONS

Cost

Weight

Duration

Weight

Years in business

Weight

Life expectancy

Weight

Length of product installed

Weight

Innovation

Weight

Calculate

Revise

Next

PERFORMANCE

Eigenvalue

Consistency Ratio (CR)

Save

Figure 4-15: Weight Calculation Screen

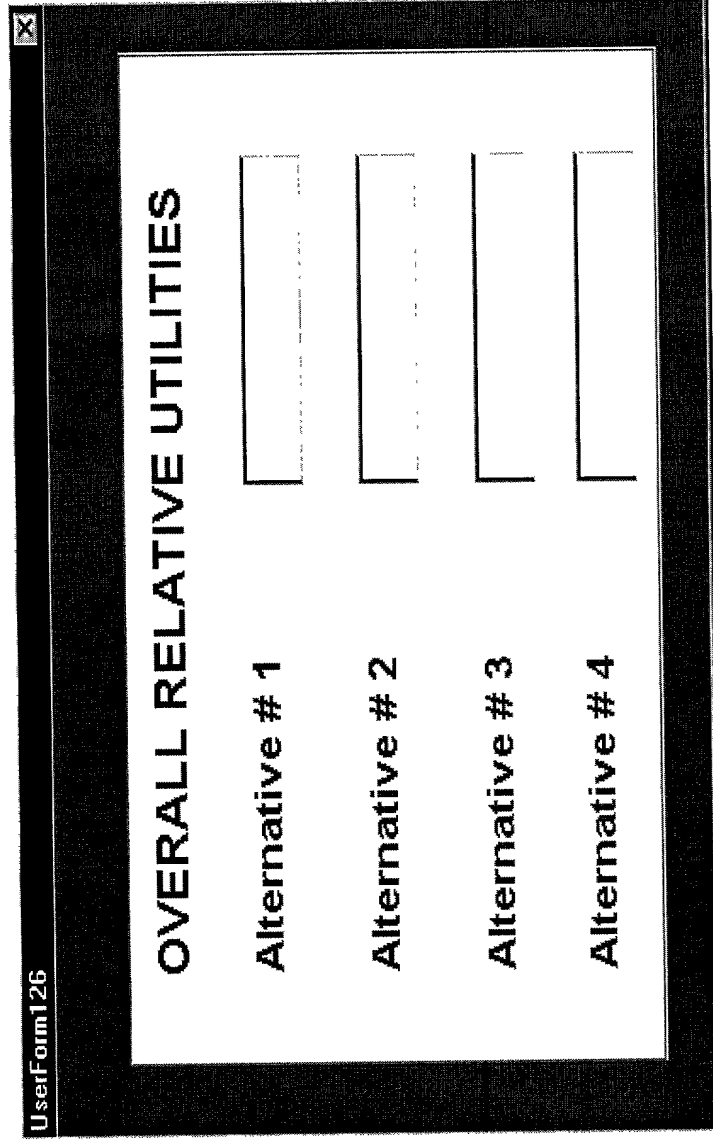


Figure 4-16: Overall Utility Values